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The 2000 National Annenberg Election Survey (NAES) represents the largest ever public opinion study of the American electorate. For 14 months during the 2000 US presidential campaign and after the election, 79,458 US residents were interviewed by telephone about their perceptions and behaviors relevant to the campaign as well as the political system generally. Because some respondents were interviewed multiple times, in total 100,626 interviews were conducted.

The 2000 NAES was commissioned by the Annenberg School for Communication and the Annenberg Public Policy Center of the University of Pennsylvania. Sampling, fieldwork, data processing and technical documentation were directed by Princeton Survey Research Associates in conjunction with Schulman, Ronca & Bucuvalas Inc.

The 2000 NAES comprises multiple components, among them:

- The majority of respondents interviewed for the 2000 NAES were interviewed as part of a 58,373 respondent national cross-section study, conducted continuously from mid December 1999, just before the height of the presidential primary election season, through mid January 2001, after the dispute over whether George W. Bush or Al Gore won the election and just before Bush's inauguration.
- During the spring presidential primaries, the national cross-section was supplemented by state-specific cross-section studies in key states.
- After their interview for either the national or a state-specific cross-section study, some respondents were reinterviewed to form pre-post panels around key campaign events: the presidential primary elections, the summer Republican and Democratic presidential nominating conventions, the fall Bush-Gore debates and the November general election.
- Some respondents were reinterviewed up to three times.

The 2000 NAES is intended to facilitate both longitudinal analysis of the 2000 campaign as well as analysis of small subsets of the campaign. Cross-section interviewing was conducted daily, with an average of 50 to 300 interviews conducted each day for each cross-section study. Periods of high volume interviewing include:

- During the height of the presidential primary campaign, on average 100 national cross-section interviews were completed daily, and these were supplemented by hundreds of interviews daily for state-specific cross-sections, plus reinterviews after the presidential primary elections to form pre-post primary panels.
- From mid July through the general election, on average 300 national cross-section interviews were completed daily, plus hundreds of reinterviews daily after the presidential nominating conventions and Bush-Gore debates to form pre-post panels.
- During November and much of December 2000, the period of the disputed Florida vote, on average 100 national cross-section interviews were completed daily, and these were accompanied by reinterviews of 6508 respondents interviewed before the November election to form a pre-post general election panel.

All respondents were selected for interviewing at random, by the random selection of telephone numbers. To facilitate time series analysis, most of the cross-section studies were fielded as rolling cross-sections, meaning a special protocol was followed to maximize the representativeness of the sample of respondents interviewed on any single day.

Throughout the 14 months of interviewing and across the different interviewing components, the questionnaires administered to respondents, averaging 30 minutes, were a mix of questions common to large segments of the fieldwork and questions specific to small subsets. For example, core sets of questions about evaluations of candidates and the respondent's positions on policy issues were asked for most interviews. But highly event-tailored questions were asked around conventions and debates. And during the disputed Florida vote, roughly half of the questionnaire was devoted to this issue.

The focus of the 2000 NAES is the 2000 presidential campaign. However, a significant minority of the questions asked about general political attitudes and behaviors. In addition, a small set of questions was asked about voting in the general election for US representative and senator.

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For the 2000 National Annenberg Election Survey, 79,458 randomly selected American adults were interviewed. Some of these respondents were interviewed more than once, yielding a total of 100,626 interviews over 14 months.

Cross-section studies Respondents interviewed once for the 2000 NAES were interviewed as part of one cross-section study:

- The national cross-section study;
- A state-specific pre-presidential primary election cross-section study;
- The New Hampshire or November 1999 add-on cross-section studies.

Respondents interviewed more than once for the 2000 NAES were interviewed first as part of one cross-section study:

- The national cross-section study;
- A state-specific pre-presidential primary election cross-section study.

Pre-post campaign event panel studies

Respondents' interviews subsequent to their cross-section interview, or reinterviews, if any, were conducted as part of pre-post campaign event panel studies.

Selected respondents initially interviewed before the presidential primary election were reinterviewed after. These respondents' cross-section interviews matched with their reinterviews form pre-post presidential primary election panel studies. The cross-section interview represents pre-primary election measurements, and the reinterview represents post-primary measurements.

Similarly, selected respondents initially interviewed before the presidential nominating conventions, Bush-Gore debates or the general election were reinterviewed after. These respondents' cross-section interviews matched with their reinterviews form pre-post panel studies around the conventions, debates and general election.

Most respondents who were reinterviewed were reinterviewed only once, but some were reinterviewed up to three times.

Main cross-section studies

National cross-section study

58,373 randomly selected adult US residents were interviewed for the national cross-section study, inclusive of the 48 continental states and Washington, DC. Interviewing was conducted daily 14 Dec 99–19 Jan 01, representing the period just before the height of the presidential primary campaign through the day before Bush's inauguration. An average of at least 50 interviews were completed daily, and in key periods of the campaign, as many as 300 interviews were completed each day:

- 14 Dec 99–3 Jan 00, 962 national cross-section interviews were completed: on average 50 interviews daily.
- 4 Jan–3 Apr 00, representing roughly the height of the presidential primary campaign, 8556 interviews were completed: on average 100 daily.
- 4 Apr–17 Jul, 7447 interviews were completed: on average 50 daily.
- 18 Jul–6 Nov 00, representing the periods of the presidential nominating conventions and general election campaign, 34,391 interviews were completed: on average 300 daily.
- 8 Nov–19 Dec 00, representing the period of the disputed Florida vote through just after Gore's concession, 5296 interviews were completed: 100 daily.
- 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01, 1721 interviews were completed: on average 50 daily.

State-specific pre-presidential primary election cross-section studies

During the presidential primary campaign, the national cross-section was supplemented by state-specific cross-section studies conducted among residents of key primary states. Interviewing was conducted in the weeks before the states' presidential primary elections:

- 3173 randomly selected adult residents of Iowa (IA) were interviewed for the **IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section study**. Interviewing was conducted daily 14 Dec 99–23 Jan 00, the day before the 24 Jan 00 IA presidential primary election. On average 100 interviews were completed daily.
- 3814 randomly selected adult residents of New Hampshire (NH) were interviewed for

the **NH pre-presidential primary election cross-section study**. Interviewing was conducted daily 14 Dec 99–31 Jan 00, the day before the 1 Feb NH presidential primary election. On average 100 interviews were completed daily.

- 6627 were interviewed for the **Super Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section study**, inclusive of randomly selected adult residents of states holding all presidential primary voting 7 Mar, Super Tuesday: California (CA), Connecticut (CT), Georgia (GA), Maine (ME), Maryland (MD), Massachusetts (MA), Missouri (MO), New York (NY), Ohio (OH), Rhode Island (RI), Vermont (VT), Washington (WA).¹ Interviewing was conducted daily 4 Jan–6 Mar 00, the day before Super Tuesday. On average 100 interviews were completed daily.
- 1591 were interviewed for the **Second Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section study**, inclusive of randomly selected adult residents of states holding their presidential primary election 14 Mar, so-called Second Tuesday: Florida (FL), Louisiana (LA), Mississippi (MS), Oklahoma (OK), Tennessee (TN), Texas (TX). Interviewing was conducted daily 28 Feb–13 Mar, the day before Second Tuesday. On average 100 interviews were completed daily.

South Carolina (SC) and Michigan (MI) held Republican presidential primary voting nearly a month before Democratic voting. In these states, pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-sections were conducted:

- 1171 randomly selected adult residents of SC were interviewed for the **SC pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section study**. Interviewing was conducted daily 1–18 Feb, the day before the 19 Feb SC Republican presidential primary election. (Democratic voting in the SC presidential primary was held 9 Mar.) On average 50 interviews were completed daily.

- 388 randomly selected adult residents of MI were interviewed for the **MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section study**. Interviewing was conducted daily 15–21 Feb, the day before the 22 Feb MI Republican presidential primary election. (Democratic voting in the MI presidential primary was held 11 Mar.) On average 50 interviews were completed daily.

Pre-post campaign event panel studies

Reinterviews of state-specific cross-section respondents to form pre-post presidential primary election panels

- 1596 respondents interviewed for the IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section study were reinterviewed after the 24 Jan 00 election, 26 Jan–17 Feb 00. The **IA pre-post presidential primary election panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 1900 respondents interviewed for the NH pre-presidential primary election cross-section study were reinterviewed after the 1 Feb election, 2–27 Feb. The **NH pre-post presidential primary election panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 3853 respondents interviewed for the Super Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section study were reinterviewed after the 7 Mar election, 10 Mar–6 Apr. The **Super Tuesday states pre-post presidential primary election panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 503 respondents interviewed for the SC pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section study were reinterviewed after the 19 Feb Republican election, 23 Feb–8 Mar. The **SC pre-post Republican presidential primary election panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 145 respondents interviewed for the MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section study were reinterviewed after the 22 Feb Republican election, 24 Feb–8 Mar. The **MI pre-post Republican presidential primary election panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.

¹ Some states held some but not all presidential primary voting 7 Mar. These states are excluded from the Super Tuesday cross-section study. For presidential primary dates see section R.

Reinterviews of national cross-section respondents to form pre-post presidential nominating convention panels

- 1197 respondents interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before the Republican presidential nominating convention were reinterviewed after the 31 Jul–3 Aug convention. Reinterviews were conducted 4–13 Aug among those interviewed for the national cross-section 21–30 Jul. The **pre-post Republican presidential nominating convention panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 1230 respondents interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before the Democratic presidential nominating convention were reinterviewed after the 14–17 Aug convention. Reinterviews were conducted 18–27 Aug among those interviewed for the national cross-section 4–13 Aug. The **pre-post Democratic presidential nominating convention panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.

Reinterviews of national cross-section respondents to form pre-post Bush-Gore debate panels

- 1514 respondents interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before the 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate were reinterviewed after the debate. Reinterviews were conducted 4–10 Oct among those interviewed for the national cross-section 21 Sep–2 Oct. The **pre-post 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 670 respondents interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before the 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate were reinterviewed after the debate. Reinterviews were conducted 12–16 Oct among those interviewed for the national cross-section 4–10 Oct. The **pre-post 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.
- 2052 respondents interviewed for the national cross-section study before the 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate were reinterviewed after the debate. Reinterviews were

conducted 18–31 Oct among those interviewed for the national cross-section immediately before the debate, 12–16 Oct, as well as those interviewed immediately before the Republican presidential nominating convention, 21–30 Jul, or the Democratic convention, 4–13 Aug. The **pre-post 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.

Reinterviews of national cross-section respondents to form a pre-post general election panel

6508 respondents interviewed for the national cross-section study anytime in 2000 before the general election were reinterviewed after the 7 Nov 00 election. Reinterviews were conducted 11 Nov–7 Dec 00 among those interviewed for the national cross-section 3 Jan–6 Nov 00. The **pre-post general election panel study** comprises each respondent's cross-section interview matched with their reinterview.

Multiple reinterview panels

- **Multiple reinterview panel A** Some respondents initially interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before the Republican or Democratic presidential nominating convention and reinterviewed after as part of a pre-post convention panel study were reinterviewed one or two additional times: after the 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate as part of this debate's pre-post panel, and/or after the general election as part of the pre-post general election panel.
- **Multiple reinterview panel B** Some respondents initially interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before one of the Bush-Gore debates and reinterviewed after as part of a pre-post debate panel study were also reinterviewed after the general election as part of the pre-post general election panel.

See annex A, multiple reinterview panels.

Add-on cross-section studies

- **NH post-presidential primary election cross-section study** After the 1 Feb NH presidential primary election, a cross-section study of 1835 randomly selected NH adult

residents was fielded 2–22 Feb, alongside NH post-primary reinterviews. This cross-section study is separate from the NH pre-primary cross-section study and is documented in the companion publication New Hampshire Post-Presidential Primary Election Cross-Section.

- **November 1999 national cross-section study**

Prior to the 14 Dec 99 start of the national cross-section study, a separate national cross-section study of 2486 randomly selected adults was fielded 8 Nov–13 Dec 99. This study is documented in the companion publication November 1999 National Cross-Section and is available upon request from the Annenberg Public Policy Center.

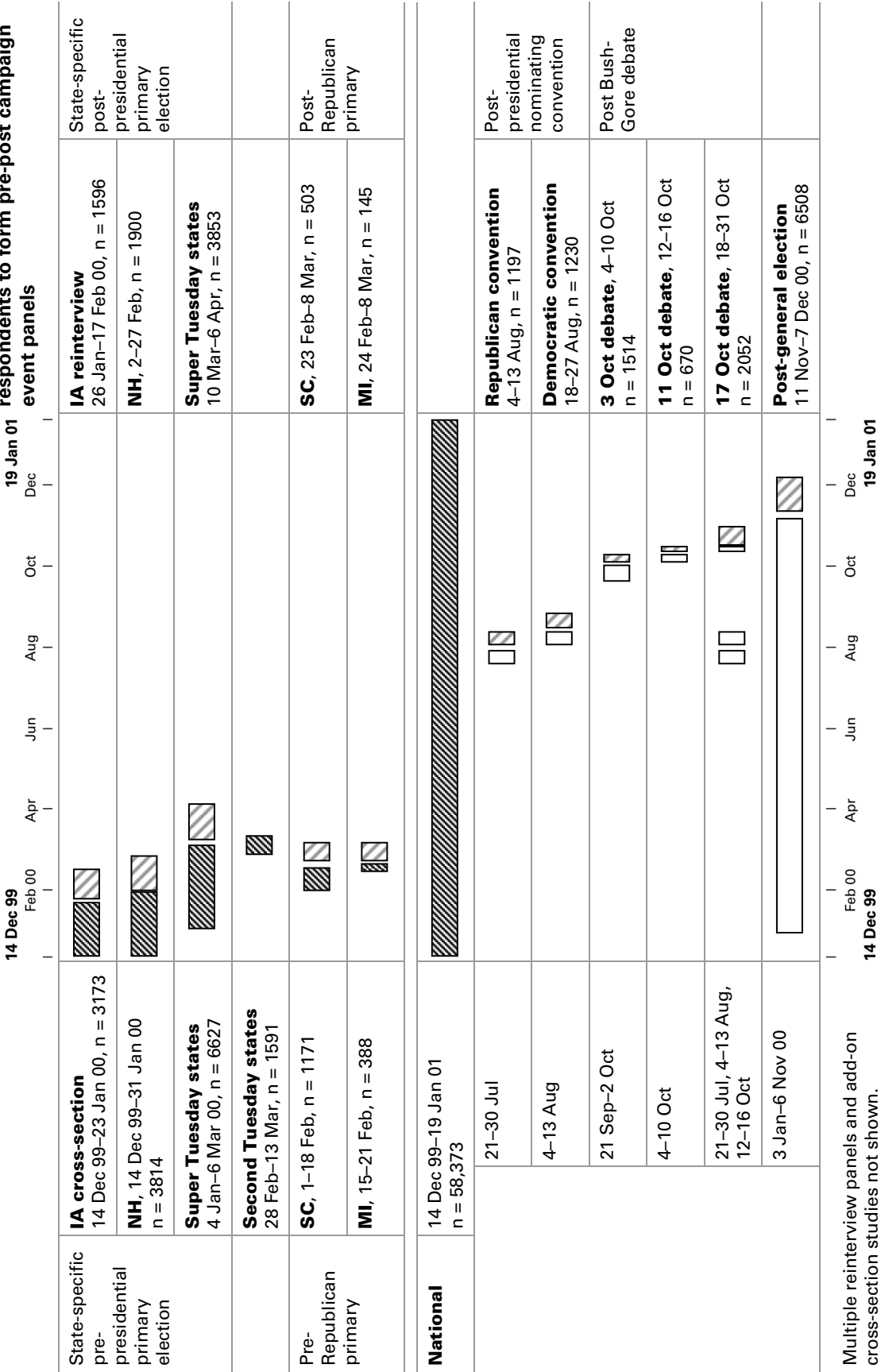
Holidays

No interviewing was conducted 25 Nov 99, in observance of Thanksgiving; 24–25 Dec 99, Christmas; 31 Dec 99–2 Jan 00, New Year's; 3–4 Jul, Independence Day; 23 Nov 00, Thanksgiving; 24–25 Dec 00, Christmas; 31 Dec 00–1 Jan 01, New Year's. In addition, no interviewing was conducted 7 Nov 00, Election Day.

Studies calendar

Cross-section interviews

Reinterviews with cross-section respondents to form pre-post campaign event panels



Data and documentation files			Data	Document- ation
			SPSS format, .sav; and tab-delimited, .dat (see page i-20) ²	Acrobat PDF
Main cross- section studies	National cross-section	interviewing 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00	Nat CS 19991214-20000403 Data.sav, .dat	Main Codebook.pdf Main Codebook Annex B.pdf
		4 Apr–17 Jul	Nat CS 20000404-20000717 Data.sav, .dat	
		18 Jul–4 Sep	Nat CS 20000718-20000904 Data.sav, .dat	
		5 Sep–2 Oct	Nat CS 20000905-20001002 Data.sav, .dat	
		3 Oct–6 Nov 00	Nat CS 20001003-20001106 Data.sav, .dat	
		8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01	Nat CS 20001108-20010119 Data.sav, .dat	
	IA pre-primary		IA CS Data.sav, .dat	
	NH		NH CS Data.sav, .dat	
	Super Tuesday		Super CS Data.sav, .dat	
	Second Tuesday		Sec CS Data.sav, .dat	
	SC Republican primary		SC CS Data.sav, .dat	
	MI		MI CS Data.sav, .dat	
	Pre-post campaign event panel studies	IA pre-post primary panel		
NH		NH Panel Data.sav, .dat		
Super Tuesday		Super Panel Data.sav, .dat		
SC Republican primary		SC Panel Data.sav, .dat		
MI		MI Panel Data.sav, .dat		
Republican convention		GOP Conv Panel Data.sav, .dat		
Democratic convention		Dem Conv Panel Data.sav, .dat		
3 Oct debate		3 Oct Deb Panel Data.sav, .dat		
11 Oct debate		11 Oct Deb Panel Data.sav, .dat		
17 Oct debate		17 Oct Deb Panel Data.sav, .dat		
General election		Elect Panel Data.sav, .dat		
Multiple reinterview panels			Mult Reint Panel A.sav, .dat Mult Reint Panel B.sav, .dat	
Add-on cross-section studies	NH post-primary		NH Post CS Data.sav, .dat	NH Post CS Codebook .pdf
	November 1999		Available upon request from the Annenberg Public Policy Center	

² SPSS format command files (.sps) to add labels to tab delimited data read into SPSS are provided: for main cross-section studies, CS Labels.sps; pre-post campaign event panel studies, Panel Labels.sps; multiple reinterview panel A, Mult Reint Panel A Labels.sps; multiple reinterview panel B, Mult Reint Panel B Labels.sps; NH post-primary add-on cross-section study, NH Post CS Labels.sps.

Sampling and interviewing protocols

Each interview was conducted by telephone and averaged 30 minutes. Interviews were conducted in English or Spanish at the respondent's preference.

Fieldwork for all interviewing components except the SC and MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-sections and post-Republican primary reinterviews was conducted by Schulman, Ronca & Bucuvalas Inc. of New York and Ft. Myers, Florida. The SC and MI studies were conducted by Princeton Data Source of Fredericksburg, Virginia.

Cross-section sampling Respondents were selected for cross-section study samples via a two-stage process:

- First, households were randomly selected by randomly generating telephone numbers. Area code, exchange and bank, representing the first eight digits of a 10 digit phone number, were randomly generated proportional to telephone company estimates of the count of household numbers in each combination of area code, exchange and bank. The last two digits of each phone number were generated entirely at random.
- Second, at each sampled number that was determined to represent a household, interviewers attempted to randomly select one of the adult residents, 18 or older, to interview. Upon calling a household, interviewers asked to speak with any adult, who was then asked how many adults live in the household. For households with more than one adult, one was randomly chosen to be interviewed by birthday. For the questions used to select respondents, see annex B.

Interviewers called each sampled telephone number up to 18 times over 14 days—twice on each of the first four days and once on each of the remaining days—to determine if the number represented a household with an adult, and if so, to attempt to select a respondent and complete an interview.

Phone work was conducted from 10 am through 11 pm, local to the respondent (through 2 am eastern time). In attempting to contact households and respondents, interviewers accommodated both specific appointments (e.g., "Please call me Friday at noon") and more general callback requests

("tomorrow afternoon," "later this week," "another time").

If a household refused to participate—either no adult would give the number of adults living in the household so that one could be selected, or once a respondent was selected he or she would not agree to be interviewed—it was scheduled to be called back by an interviewer specially trained to elicit participation (refusal conversion), assuming 18 attempts over 14 days had not yet been made. Additionally, if a respondent started but stopped an interview (breakoff), attempts were made to recontact the respondent and complete the interview.

Rolling cross-section sample management All cross-section studies, with the exception of the SC and MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-sections, were fielded as rolling cross-section samples. New randomly generated telephone numbers were added on a strict schedule to the pool of numbers interviewers were calling to attempt to complete interviews: Every day of fieldwork, a set count of new numbers was added, proportional to the desired count of interviews completed daily. The intention was to maximize the representativeness of any single day's sample by stabilizing the proportion of respondents interviewed who completed an interview after having been called only a few times and those who completed after having been tried numerous times. See Romer et al., *Capturing Campaign Dynamics: the National Annenberg Election Survey Design, Method and Data* (Oxford, 2003).

Reinterview sampling Reinterview samples are random subsets of cross-section samples. For example, the sample of respondents interviewed 4–13 Aug for the post-Republican presidential nominating convention reinterview is a random subset of respondents interviewed 21–30 Jul for the national cross-section.

In cross-section interviews, respondents' first names were collected. For reinterviewing, interviewers asked for respondents by name and confirmed that the right respondent was selected by comparing sex and age with the data recorded in the cross-section interview.

Interviewers called each sampled reinterview respondent up to 20 times. The date of the first reinterview attempt is orthogonal to the date the cross-section interview was completed.

Variable sections

Variables measured for the 2000 National Annenberg Election Survey are organized into 23 sections, named 0 (zero) and A through Y (no I, O or Q). The lengthy B section is organized into subsections:

0	Sampling (including interview point, respondent key, interview date and time)
A	Evaluations of candidates and political figures (favorability, traits, political ideology, one-word descriptors, emotions)
B	Policy issues (respondent's own positions, perceptions of presidential candidates' positions, evaluations of candidates' competencies, knowledge of background facts)
BA	Economy
BB	Taxes
BC	Social Security
BD	Education
BE	Health insurance
BF	Abortion
BG	Crime
BH	Money in politics
BJ	National defense
BK	Immigration
BL	Gay rights
BM	Other civil rights
BN	Energy
BP	Poverty
BQ	Elian Gonzalez
BR	SC Confederate flag
BS	Environment
BT	Other
C	Evaluations of groups
D	Candidates' biographies (perceptions of presidential and vice presidential candidates')
E	Media use (particularly news)
F	Debates (presidential primary, Bush-Gore and Cheney-Lieberman)
G	Presidential nominating conventions

H	Advertising, TV appearances and speeches
J	Contact with presidential campaigns
K	Political participation (interest, discussion, advocacy for candidates)
L	Evaluations of campaign discourse
M	Orientation to government (evaluations of institutions, political efficacy)
N	Presidential candidate chances (of winning the primary and general elections)
P	Presidential candidate endorsements
R	Voting behavior and general attitudes (registration, intended and actual voting in the presidential primary and general election, general attitudes and behaviors)
S	Election outcome and disputed Florida vote
T	Expectations of Bush presidency and approval of transition
U	US House and Senate (incumbents and candidates; favorability, name recall, intended and actual voting in the general election)
V	Political orientation
W	Demographics
X	Random assignment to question modules
Y	Interview attributes (including interview language and interviewer demographics)

Detailed variable listing

Beginning on page 0-1 is a detailed listing of every variable measured, organized by variable section. Variables measured for cross-section studies are separate from those measured for reinterviews [diagram this page]:

- **[a]** Codebook variable name (see codebook variable names below);
- **[b]** Variable title;
- **[c]** If the variable represents a question, the text of the question, including any read response options (pages i-18–19);
- **[d]** Questionnaire cross-reference (pages i-18–19);
- **[e]** Enumeration of variable values representing codes for categorical or interval data; **range** indicates interval data; if the variable represents a question, the accepted response options (page i-18–20);
- **[f]** Interviewing points and dates for which the variable was measured (pages i-12–15; see also interview point and date notation on page i-21);
- **[g]** Random subsampling, if any, indicated by **limited to** (pages i-16–17; see also variable equivalence notation on page i-21);
- **[h]** Nonrandom subsampling, if any, indicated by **asked if** or **recorded if** (page i-17; see also variable equivalence notation on page i-21);
- **[i]** Multiple-mention response, indicated by **mentions recorded** (page i-20);
- **[j, k]** Response transcribed verbatim, indicated by **verbatim** and **\$** (page i-20);
- Variation in wording **[l]** or subsampling **[m]** by interview point and/or date, indicated by braces {}, with mutually exclusive variants separated by vertical bars (|) (page i-21).

Codebook variable names Cross-section variables are named beginning with **c**; reinterview variables are named beginning with **r**. In most cases this is followed by the section letter and a two-digit number; for example, cA01. Variables in section B include the subsection letter; cBA01. Variables recording random subsampling and random question element orders (see page i-18) are named with Z after the section letter; for example, cAZ01. Variables in section 0 deviate from these conventions. See also pages i-14 and i-20.

a	cN06
b	Bush will beat Gore
c	Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, {through 24 Aug: if George W. Bush ran against Al Gore, what are the chances Bush would beat Gore? Q144c d
f	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS
g	Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ02[1]
h	Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush or Gore} {through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100] or cA11[0-100]}
e	Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer

cE19	(cE19.1 ... cE19.5)
	Talk radio hosts listened to in past week
	Which talk radio hosts did you listen to the past week? Q71
i	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–19 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS
	Asked if listened to talk radio in past week cE18[1-7]
	Up to 5 mentions recorded
	1 Art Bell 2 Jim Bohannon 3 Bob Brinker 4 Dr. Joy Browne 5 Ken and Daria Dolan 6 Dr. Dean Edell 7 Bob Grant 8 Don Imus 9 John and Ken 10 Tom Joyner 11 Tom Leykis 12 G. Gordon Liddy 13 Rush Limbaugh 14 Michael Reagan 15 Dr. Laura Schlessinger 16 Doug Stephan 17 Howard Stern 18 Bruce Williams
k	19 Verbatim (cE19\$)
	998 Don't know 999 No answer

cA10

One word: Bush

What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name George W. Bush? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul except SC CS, MI CS; random 1/4 of sample, cX01[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]} **m**

i	1 Verbatim (cA10\$)
	2 Do not recognize name
	3 Cannot think of word or phrase
	999 No answer

Which variables were measured when:
cross-section studies

Variable summary table

Beginning on page ii-1 is a table summarizing the variables measured for cross-section studies [a, diagram opposite page].

In this table, and throughout the codebook, cross-section studies are abbreviated as follows:

National cross-section	Nat CS
IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section	IA CS
NH pre-presidential primary election cross-section	NH CS
Super Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section	Super CS
Second Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section	Sec CS
SC pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section	SC CS
MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section	MI CS

Cross-section variables are named beginning with c [b].

Not all cross-section variables were measured for all cross-section studies or interviewing dates. For the national cross-section [c], the dates for which a variable was measured are plotted in the variable summary table as subsets of the national study’s field period, 14 Dec 99–19 Jan 01 [d]. For other cross-sections [e], a darkened circle [f] indicates that a variable was measured for a study’s full field period [g]; a hollow circle [h] indicates that a variable was measured for part of the field period. A blank cell [i] indicates that a variable was not measured for a study.

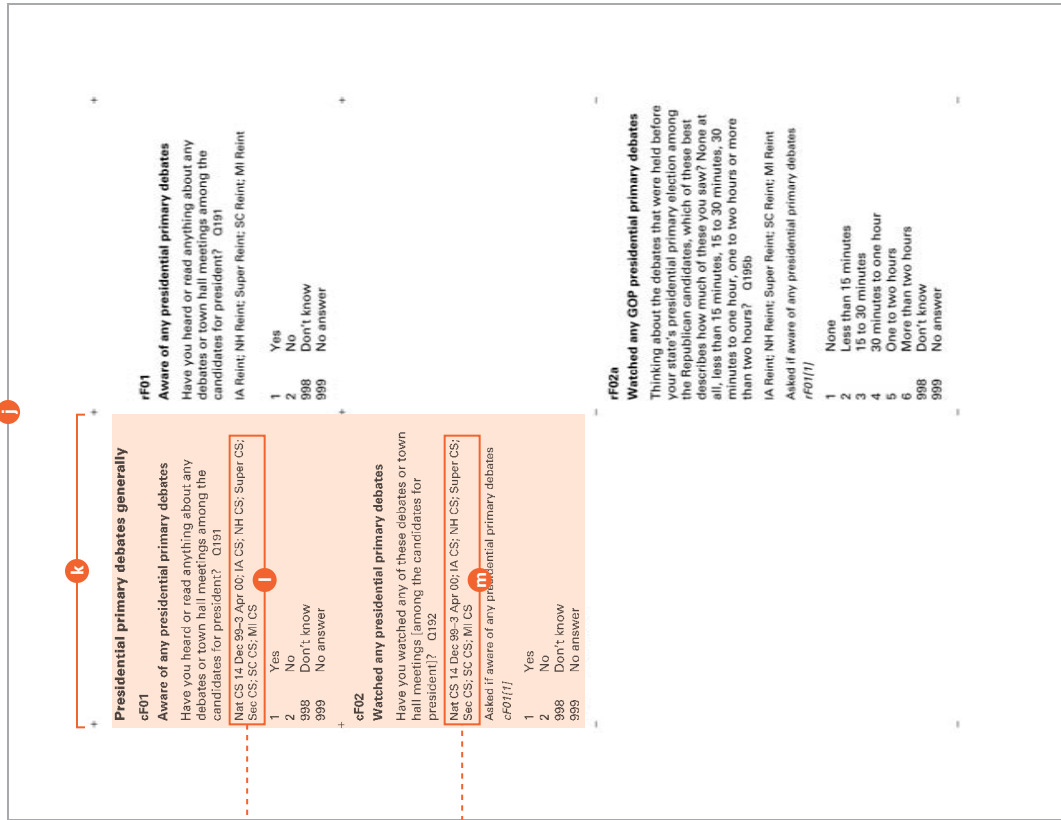
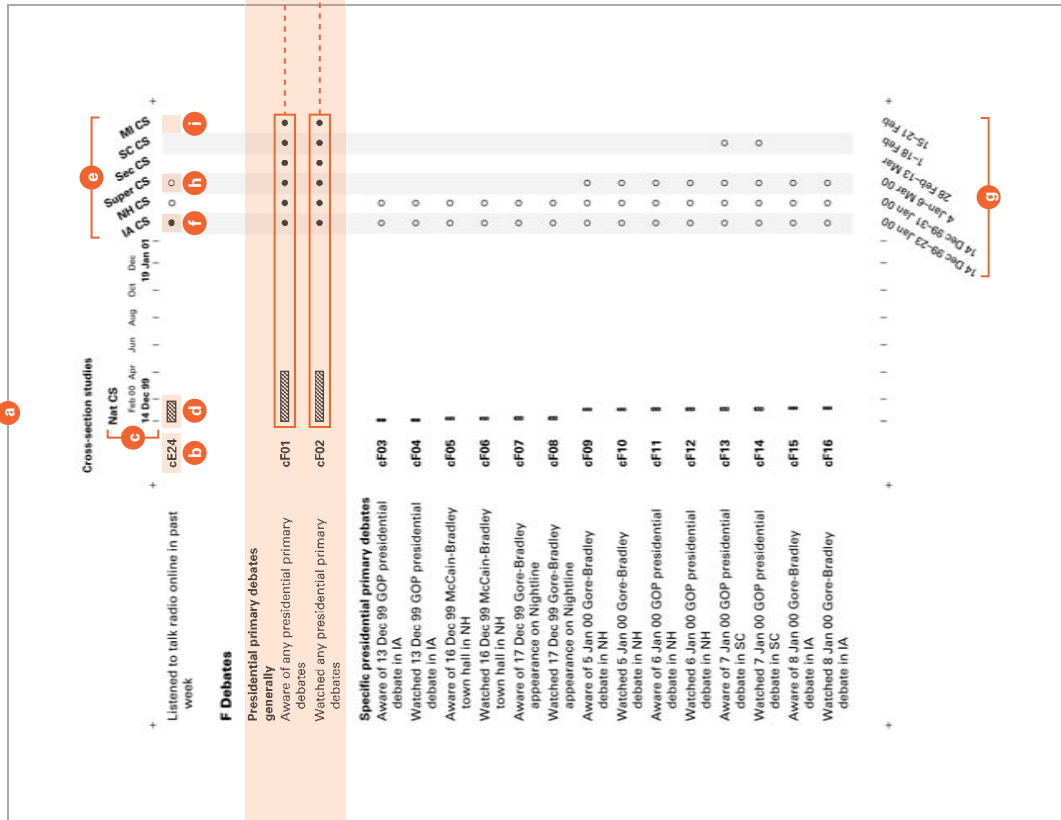
Detailed variable listing

The variable summary table is an excerpt of the information in the detailed variable listing.

In the detailed variable listing [j], variables measured for cross-section studies are listed to the left [k]. (To the right are reinterview variables. See panel studies on page i-14.)

The cross-section studies and interviewing dates for which each variable was measured are indicated [l, m]. See interview point and date notation on page i-21.

If a variable was not measured for a respondent, the value is null. See page i-20.



Which variables were measured when: pre-post campaign event panel studies

Variable summary tables

Beginning on page ii-41 are tables summarizing the variables measured for pre-post campaign event panel studies:

IA, NH and Super Tuesday states pre-post presidential primary election panels	page ii-41
SC and MI pre-post Republican presidential primary election panels	69
Pre-post presidential nominating convention panels	83
Pre-post Bush-Gore debate panels	97
Pre-post general election panel	123

Each pre-post campaign event panel study is a pairing of data from a subset of a cross-section study, representing pre-event measurements, and data from a reinterview point, representing post-event measurements. For example, the SC pre-post Republican presidential primary election panel is a pairing of data from SC pre-primary cross-section interviews [**a**, diagram opposite page] conducted 1–18 Feb [**b**] and SC post-primary reinterviews [**c**] conducted 23 Feb–8 Mar [**d**].

In the variable summary tables and throughout the codebook, cross-section studies are abbreviated as listed on page i-12. Reinterview points are abbreviated as follows:

IA post-presidential primary election reinterview	IA Reint
NH post-presidential primary election reinterview	NH Reint
Super Tuesday states post-presidential primary election reinterview	Super Reint
SC post-Republican presidential primary election reinterview	SC Reint
MI post-Republican presidential primary election reinterview	MI Reint
Post-Republican presidential nominating convention reinterview	GOP Conv Reint
Post-Democratic presidential nominating convention reinterview	Dem Conv Reint

Post-3 Oct Bush-Gore debate reinterview	3 Oct Deb Reint
Post-11 Oct Bush-Gore debate reinterview	11 Oct Deb Reint
Post-17 Oct Bush-Gore debate reinterview	17 Oct Deb Reint
Post-general election reinterview	Elect Reint

Pre-event variables from cross-section studies are named beginning with **c** [**e**]. Post-event variables from reinterviews are named beginning with **r** [**f**].

When a pre-event variable and a post-event variable represent the same measure, they have the same name after the c or r prefix [**g**]. When a post-event variable represents a slight variation on a pre-event variable, the post-event variable is named the same as the pre-event variable plus a letter suffix [**h**]. Some pre-event variables have no post-event counterpart and vice versa [**i**].

For each interview point, a darkened circle indicates that a variable was measured for the full field period; a hollow circle indicates that a variable was measured for part of the field period.

Detailed variable listing

The variable summary tables are excerpts of the information in the detailed variable listing.

In the detailed variable listing, pre-event variables from cross-section studies are listed to the left [**j**]. To the right are post-event variables from reinterviews [**k**].

For each pre-event variable, the cross-section studies and interviewing dates for which it was measured are indicated [**l**]. For each post-event variable, the reinterview points and interviewing dates for which it was measured are indicated [**m**]. See interview point and date notation on page i-21.

If a variable was not measured for a respondent, the value is null. See page i-20.

Multiple reinterview panels See annex A.

Random subsampling (form splitting)

In many cases, variables were measured only for a random subsample of respondents. This is indicated by **limited to** in the detailed variable listing.

Random assignment to question modules

In many cases, variables are grouped into thematic question modules, and modules into module sets; respondents were randomly assigned to the variables in one module per module set [diagram this page].

For example, for Nat CS 8 Sep–19 Dec 00, respondents were randomly assigned to question module E1 or E2. X05 records the assignment [a]. The random half of respondents assigned to module E1 (X05[1]) were assigned to a set of variables including BF13 [b]. The half of respondents assigned to module E2 (X05[2]) were assigned to a separate set of variables including BG01 [c].

See section X for a summary of which modules were used for which variables and when.

[d] See variable equivalence notation on page i-21.

Variation in random subsampling by interview point and date is indicated with braces {} [e]. See variation by interview point and date on page i-21.

If a variable was not measured for a respondent, the value is null. See page i-20.

cBF13

Favor sale of RU-486

As you may know, the US Food and Drug Administration has just said that RU-486, an abortion pill, is medically safe and can now be sold on prescription. It must be used in a doctor's office and can only be taken in the first seven weeks of pregnancy. All things considered, do you favor or oppose making RU-486 available for sale? Q273

Nat CS 2 Oct–27 Nov 00

b

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

d

1	Favor
2	Oppose
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cBG01

Favor death penalty

Do you personally favor or oppose the death penalty for some crimes? Q268b

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 8 Sep; random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

e

c

1	Favor
2	Oppose
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cX05

Random assignment to question module E

Q32

Nat CS 8 Sep–19 Dec 00

1

Module E1

2

Module E2

a

Random subsampling, continued

Random assignment to paired lines of questioning

In some cases, respondents were randomly assigned to one variable or set of variables representing half of a pair of similar questions or question sets [upper diagram this page].

For example, for Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00, respondents were randomly assigned to one of two questions about the inheritance tax, BB11 or BB12. BZ02 records the assignment [a]. BB11 describes the inheritance tax as one “some Americans” must pay [b], and a random half of respondents, BZ02[1], were asked this version [c]. BB12 describes the tax as one “Americans who inherit more than a million dollars” must pay [d], asked of the second random half of respondents, BZ02[2] [e].

Random assignment to paired lines of questioning affects variables in sections B, K, N and V.

Nonrandom subsampling (filtering)

In some cases, variables were measured only for a subsample of respondents defined by one or more nonrandom characteristics recorded in another variable or variables. This is indicated by **asked if** or **recorded if** in the detailed variable listing [lower diagram this page].

For example, respondents were asked how much attention they paid to local TV presidential campaign news in the past week, E07, only if they watched local TV news in the past week, E06 ([1-7]) [f, g].

[h] See variable equivalence notation on page i-21.

Variation in nonrandom subsampling by interview point and date is indicated with braces {}. See variation by interview point and date on page i-21.

If a variable was not measured for a respondent, the value is null. See page i-20.

cBB11

Inheritance tax should be cut for some Americans

- b Some Americans must pay taxes on whatever they inherit. Some people say this inheritance tax should be eliminated. Do you think the inheritance tax should be eliminated or kept in place? Q113a

Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00

- c Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ02[1]

1 Eliminated
2 Kept
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cBB12

Tax on inheritances over 1 million should be cut

- d Americans who inherit more than a million dollars must pay taxes on whatever they inherit. Some people say this inheritance tax should be eliminated. Do you think the inheritance tax should be eliminated or kept in place? Q113b

Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00

- e Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ02[2]

1 Eliminated
2 Kept
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cBZ02

Random assignment to BB11 or BB12

Q112

Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00

1 Assigned to cBB11
2 Assigned to cBB12

cE06

Watched local TV news in past week

How many days in the past week did you watch the local TV news—for example, “Eyewitness News” or “Action News”? Q62c

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- g Range 0-7
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cE07

Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on local TV news about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81b

Nat CS 28 Jan–6 Nov 00; NH CS 28–31 Jan 00; Super CS 28 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if watched local TV news in past week

cE06[1-7]

h 1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not too much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 No answer

Question order, wording and response options

Question order and questionnaires Variables are ordered in the codebook and data files by topic. This does not imply the order in which questions were asked. For question order, consult the questionnaires, in annex B [a, diagram opposite page].

For the national cross-section study, six questionnaires were administered, each for a different period of interviewing dates:

National cross-section	interviewing 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00	page zB-3
	4 Apr–17 Jul	45
	18 Jul–4 Sep	79
	5 Sep–2 Oct	115
	3 Oct–6 Nov 00	153
	8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01	193

For each other cross-section interview and reinterview point, a separate questionnaire was used:

IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section	page zB-245
NH pre-primary cross-section	279
Super Tuesday states pre-primary cross-section	315
Second Tuesday states pre-primary cross-section	353
SC pre-Republican primary cross-section	383
MI pre-Republican primary cross-section	409
IA post-presidential primary election reinterview	433
NH post-primary reinterview	455
Super Tuesday states post-primary reinterview	477
SC post-Republican primary reinterview	495
MI post-Republican primary reinterview	513
Post-Republican presidential nominating convention reinterview	531
Post-Democratic convention reinterview	553

Post-3 Oct Bush-Gore debate reinterview	575
Post-11 Oct debate reinterview	597
Post-17 Oct debate reinterview	619
Post-general election reinterview	641

The detailed variable listing cross-references the questionnaires [b], and vice versa [c]. In some cases, a single variable is derived from multiple questions [d], and vice versa.

Random question element orders In many cases, the orders of question elements were randomized, and this is indicated in the questionnaires [e, f, g]. In a few cases, random question element orders are recorded in variables [h, i]; this affects variables in sections A, B, F and R. Note that in most cases random orders indicated in the questionnaire are not recorded in variables.

Question wording and response options Both the detailed variable listing and the questionnaires include the full text of all questions as they were asked of respondents.

Accepted response options are enumerated in both the detailed variable listing [j] and the questionnaires [k].

For questions prompting respondents to respond by choosing among read response options, the options read are specified in the question text [l].

Response options not specified in the question text were not read but accepted if volunteered [m]. Don't know and no answer were not read, and values 998 and 999 are reserved for these responses, respectively, except where indicated otherwise.

Variation in question wording by interview point and date is indicated with braces {}. See variation by interview point and date on page i-21.

Q218

Include Q218-Q219 6-24 Oct

Did you happen to watch any of the presidential debates October between Dick Cheney and Joe Lieberman? (If yes)

Did you watch all, most or just some of it? cf58

1 All

2 Most

3 Some

4 Did not watch

998 Don't know

999 No answer

Q219

Who do you think performed best in the vice presidential debate, Dick Cheney or Joe Lieberman? cf59

Read 1-2 in random order

1 Cheney

2 Lieberman

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

Q220

Include Q220-Q225 starting 30 Oct

Did you happen to watch any of the presidential debates this fall? (If yes) Which of these best describes how much of the debates you saw? Less than 15 minutes, 15 to 30 minutes, 30 minutes to one hour, one to two hours or more than two hours? cf53

1 Less than 15 minutes

2 15 to 30 minutes

3 30 minutes to one hour

4 One to two hours

5 More than two hours

998 Did not watch

999 No answer

Q221

Record Q221-Q223 if watched any Bush-Gore debates (Q220(1-5))

Random question order for Q222, Q223a, Q223b cf201

1 Q222, Q223a, Q223b

2 Q222, Q223b, Q223a

3 Q223a, Q223b, Q222

4 Q223b, Q223a, Q222

Q222

Read Q222-Q223 in random order

Who do you think performed best in the [fall] debates, George W. Bush or Al Gore? cf55

Read 1-2 in random order

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

Q223

Did you perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the fall debates]? cf56

Read inserts in random order

a George W. Bush cf56

b Al Gore cf56

1 Better

2 Less well

3 As expected

998 Don't know

999 No answer

Q224

Ask Q224 if did not watch any Bush-Gore debates (Q220(6-999))

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf54

1 Yes

2 No

998 Don't know

999 No answer

Bush-Gore debates in general

cf53

Watched any Bush-Gore debates

Did you happen to watch any of the presidential debates this fall? (If yes) Which of these best describes how much of the debates you saw? Less than 15 minutes, 15 to 30 minutes, 30 minutes to one hour, one to two hours or more than two hours? cf53

1 Less than 15 minutes

2 15 to 30 minutes

3 30 minutes to one hour

4 One to two hours

5 More than two hours

998 Did not watch

999 No answer

cf54

Did not watch but aware of any Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf54

Ask if did not watch any Bush-Gore debates

1 Yes

2 No

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf55

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf55

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf56

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf56

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf57

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf57

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf58

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf58

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf59

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf59

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf60

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf60

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf61

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf61

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf62

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf62

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf63

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf63

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf64

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf64

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf65

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf65

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf66

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf66

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf67

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf67

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf68

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf68

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf69

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf69

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf70

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf70

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf71

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf71

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf72

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf72

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf73

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf73

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf74

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf74

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf75

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf75

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf76

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf76

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf77

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf77

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf78

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf78

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf79

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf79

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf80

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf80

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf81

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf81

Ask if did not watch or aware of any Bush-Gore debates

1 Bush

2 Gore

3 No difference

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cf82

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? cf82

Data file format

Data are stored in SPSS format (.sav) and tab delimited (.dat) files as listed on page i-8. For the tab delimited files, each case is a line, with the first line containing the variable names.

In most cases, each codebook variable corresponds to a single data file variable of the same name [a, diagram this page] containing only numeric values. When these represent codes for categorical [b] or interval, indicated by range, [c] data, they are enumerated in the detailed variable listing. When no values are enumerated, the data are numeric literals [d].

Alphanumeric values Variables cST and rST (state; see section 0) and those ending in \$ (see responses transcribed verbatim below) contain alphanumeric values.

Null values For numeric data file variables, the null value is missing; for alphanumeric variables, an empty string. See also pages i-12–17 and multiple-mention responses below.

Multiple-mention responses In most cases, respondents were prompted to respond to questions by choosing one accepted response. But in some cases, respondents were allowed, though not required, to choose multiple responses. This is indicated by **x mentions recorded**, where x is the number of mentions. Each mention is recorded, in the order of mention, in a data file variable named the same as the codebook variable plus the mention index. For mentions not named, the corresponding data file variables are null.

For example, for cE19, respondents were allowed to mention up to five talk radio hosts [e], with each mention recorded in data file variables cE19.1 through cE19.5 [f]. If a respondent first named Rush Limbaugh and then Howard Stern, cE19.1 is 13, cE19.2 is 17 and cE19.3 through cE19.5 are null.

Responses transcribed verbatim Some responses were transcribed verbatim, indicated by **verbatim** and \$, and recorded in a data file variable pair: a numeric variable indicating a verbatim response and an alphanumeric variable with the text of the response.

For example, if a problem was named for cB01, data file variable cB01 is 1 [g], and cB01\$ is the transcript of the response [h]. For cE19, if talk radio hosts not represented by values 1–18

were named as the second mention, cE19.2 is 19 [i], and cE19\$ is the hosts' names [j].

Sampling variables See section 0 for variables recording interview point, respondent key and interview date and time.

Multiple reinterview panels See annex A.

a

cE02

Watched cable news in past week
How many days in the past week did you watch cable news, such as CNN or MSNBC? Q62b
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

c

Range 0-7

b

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cB01

Most important problem
In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing our country today? Q36
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

g

1

Verbatim (cB01\$)

h

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cE19 (cE19.1 ... cE19.5)

f

Talk radio hosts listened to in past week
Which talk radio hosts did you listen to the past week? Q71
Nat CS 14 Dec 99–19 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS
Asked if listened to talk radio in past week
cE18[1-7]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

e

1 Art Bell

2 Jim Bohannon

3 Bob Brinker

4 Dr. Joy Browne

5 Ken and Daria Dolan

6 Dr. Dean Edell

7 Bob Grant

8 Don Imus

9 John and Ken

10 Tom Joyner

11 Tom Leykis

12 G. Gordon Liddy

13 Rush Limbaugh

14 Michael Reagan

15 Dr. Laura Schlessinger

16 Doug Stephan

17 Howard Stern

18 Bruce Williams

i

19

Verbatim (cE19\$)

j

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cAC

Area code
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

d

Conventions used throughout this documentation

Interview point and date notation

Cross-section interview and reinterview points are abbreviated as listed on pages i-12 and i-14, respectively.

Dates are written as d mmm or d mmm yy. Month is abbreviated as the first three letters. References to November, December and January are qualified with year (99, 00, 01); references to other months are assumed to be 2000. For example, 1 Jan 00, 1 Feb.

Where d is a date:

- **d₁–d₂** means dates d₁ through d₂, inclusive; for example, 1–30 Sep, 1 Sep–31 Oct, 1 Sep–30 Nov 00, 1 Dec 00–19 Jan 01;
- **d₁, d₂** means dates d₁ and d₂;
- **d₁–d₂, d₃–d₄, d₅** means dates d₁ through d₂, d₃ through d₄ and d₅;
- **starting d** means dates d and after; for example, starting 1 Sep;
- **through d** means dates d and before; for example, through 31 Aug.

Where p is an interviewing point and d a date:

- **p d** means interviewing point p for date d; for example, Nat CS 1 Sep;
- **p d₁–d₂** means interviewing point p for dates d₁ through d₂; for example, Nat CS 1–30 Sep;
- **p₁, p₂ d₁–d₂** means interviewing points p₁ and p₂, both for dates d₁ through d₂; for example, IA CS, NH CS 3–23 Jan 00;
- **p₁, p₂ d₁–d₂; p₃, p₄ d₃–d₄** means interviewing points p₁ and p₂, both for dates d₁ through d₂, and interviewing points p₃ and p₄, both for dates d₃ through d₄.

Whenever interview points are specified without dates, the full field period is assumed. For example, Nat CS implies Nat CS 14 Dec 99–19 Jan 01.

Whenever dates are specified without interview points, all intersecting interview points are assumed. For example, for a cross-section variable, 14–31 Dec 99 implies Nat CS, IA CS, NH CS 14–31 Dec 99.

In some cases, **except** is used in conjunction with starting or through; **starting d except p₁, p₂** means all interviewing points intersecting with dates d and after, except interviewing points p₁ and p₂. For example, starting 1 Feb except SC CS, MI CS.

Variation by interview point and date

Terms varying by interview point and/or date are enclosed in braces (**{}**), with mutually exclusive variants separated by vertical bars (**|**). Where a and d are nonvarying terms, and c is a term applicable only for interview points and dates b:

- **a {b: c} d** means a and d for all interview points and dates, c for interview points and dates b.
- **a {b₁: c₁ | b₂: c₂} d** means a and d for all interview points and dates, c₁ for interview points and dates b₁, c₂ for interview points and dates b₂.

For example, Would you say you {through 6 Nov 00: have been | starting 8 Nov 00: were} very much interested in the political campaigns {through 6 Nov 00: so far this | 8 Nov–30 Dec 00: this | starting 2 Jan 01: this past} year?

Variable equivalence notation

Where x is a variable and y a value:

- **x[y]** means x equal to y; for example, cA01[1] means cA01 equal to 1;
- **x[y₁–y₂]** means x equal to any value y₁ through y₂, inclusive; cA01[0–100];
- **x[y₁, y₂]** means x equal to y₁ or y₂;
- **x[y₁–y₂, y₃–y₄, y₅]** means x equal to any value y₁ through y₂, y₃ through y₄ or y₅;
- **x Ne y** means x not equal to y, and not null;
- **x Ge y** means x equal to y or any value greater;
- **x Le y** means x equal to y or any value less.

States

States are abbreviated as listed in section 0.

Restricted-access data

To protect respondent confidentiality, some variables have restricted-access data, available upon request from APPC (contact information is at www.annenbergpublicpolicycenter.org).

Restricted-access data are indicated in the variable directory and detailed variable listing with the ⊗ symbol. In the data files, values for all cases are blank.

The following variables have restricted-access data:

AC	Area code
U01	Congressional district
W11	Occupation (verbatim data)
W22	Metropolitan statistical area
W23	County
W25	Nielsen media market
W32 and W32	Zip code

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0 Sampling

Interview point
Respondent key
Date of interview (local to respondent)
Time of interview (ET)
Area code
State

⊗

A Evaluations of candidates and political figures

Evaluations of Bush

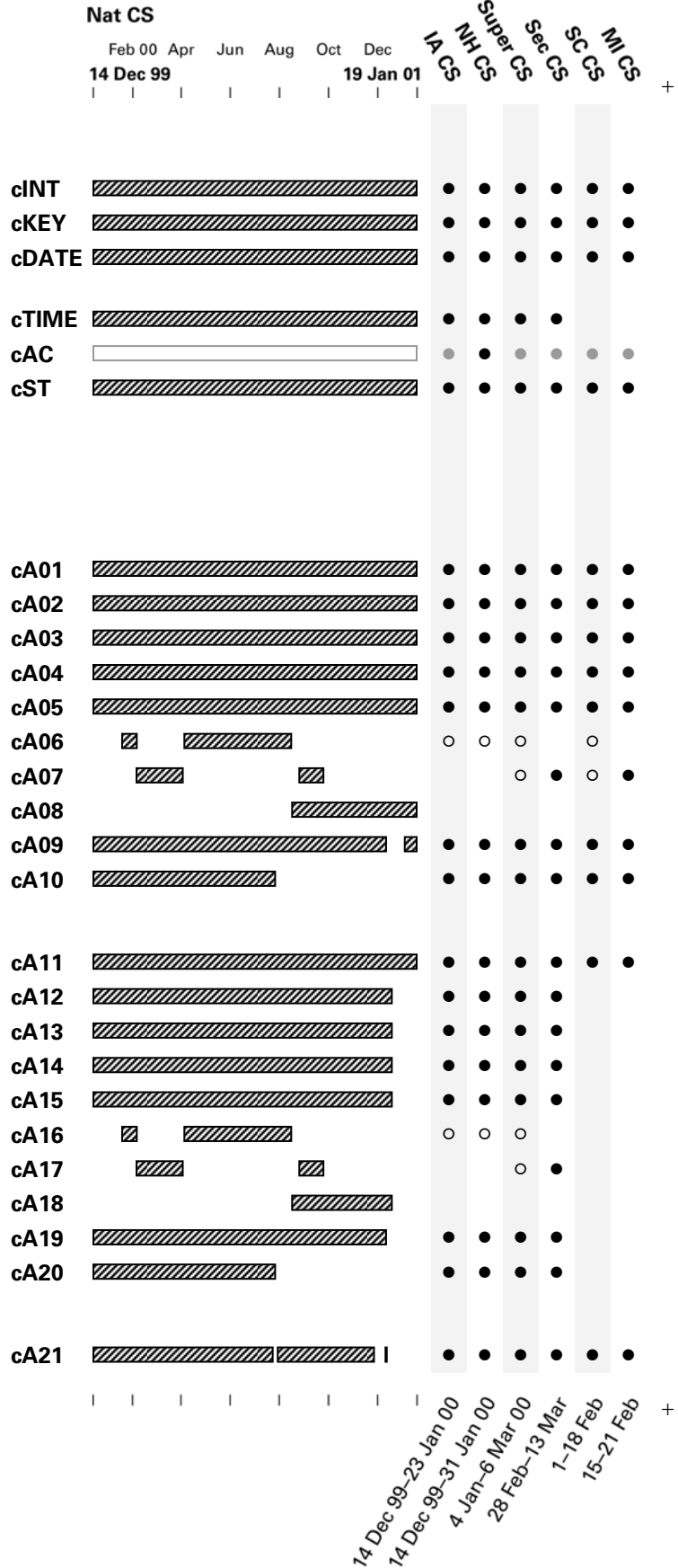
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Cares: Bush
Honest: Bush
Inspiring: Bush
Knowledgeable: Bush
Hypocritical: Bush
Trustworthy: Bush
Leadership: Bush
Bush conservative or liberal
One word: Bush

Evaluations of Gore

Favorability: Gore
Cares: Gore
Honest: Gore
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Trustworthy: Gore
Leadership: Gore
Gore conservative or liberal
One word: Gore

Evaluations of McCain

Favorability: McCain



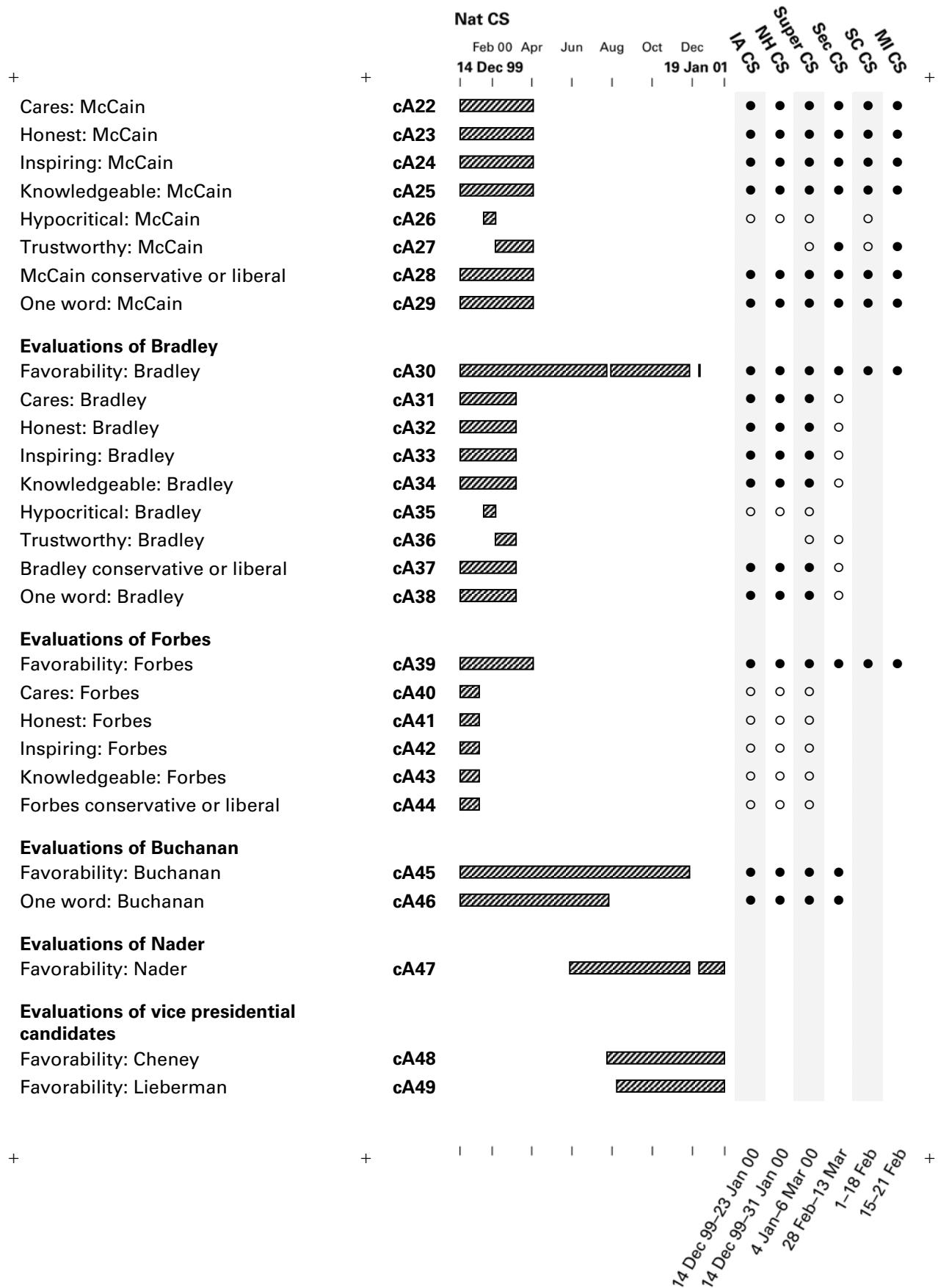
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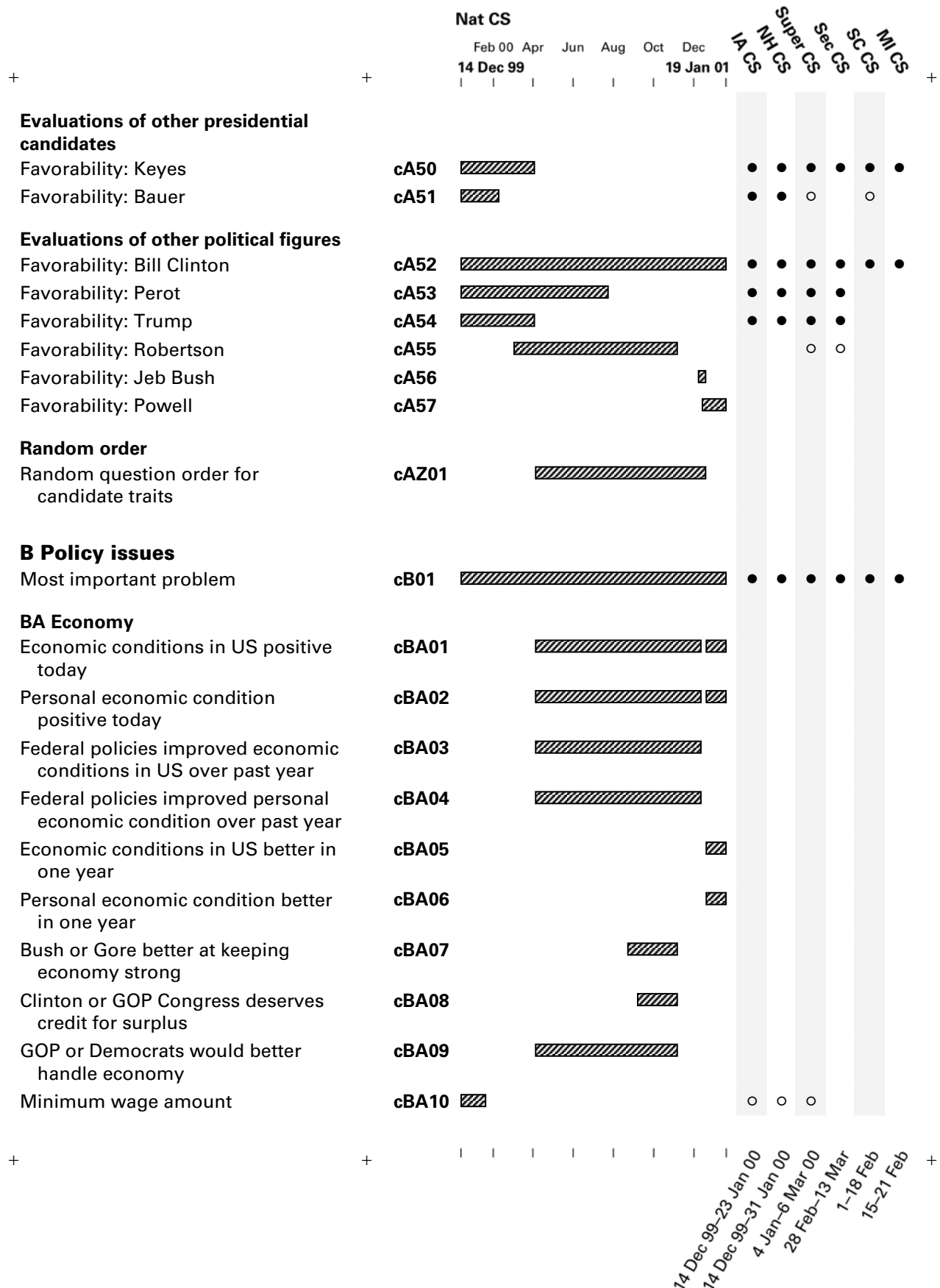
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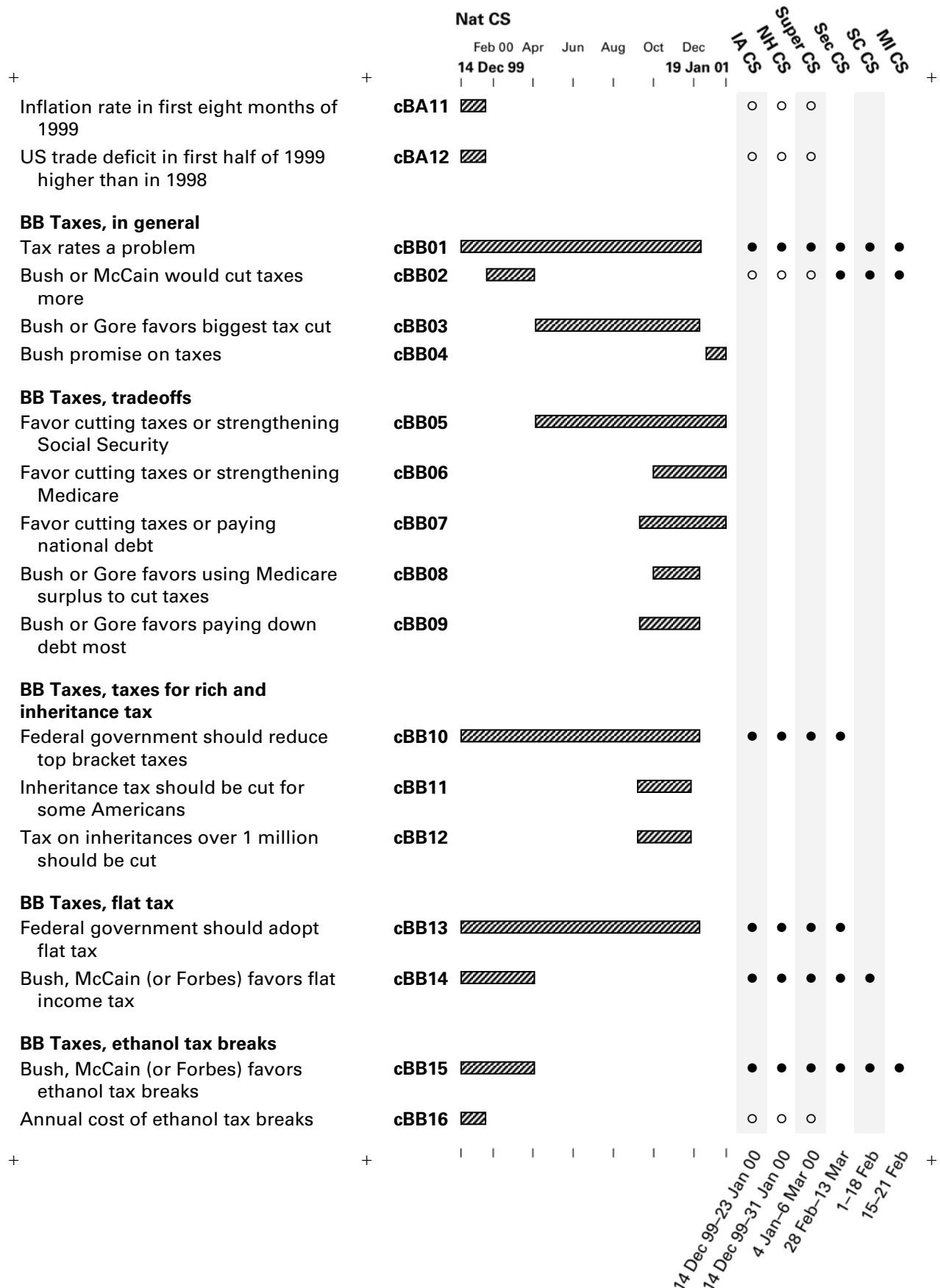
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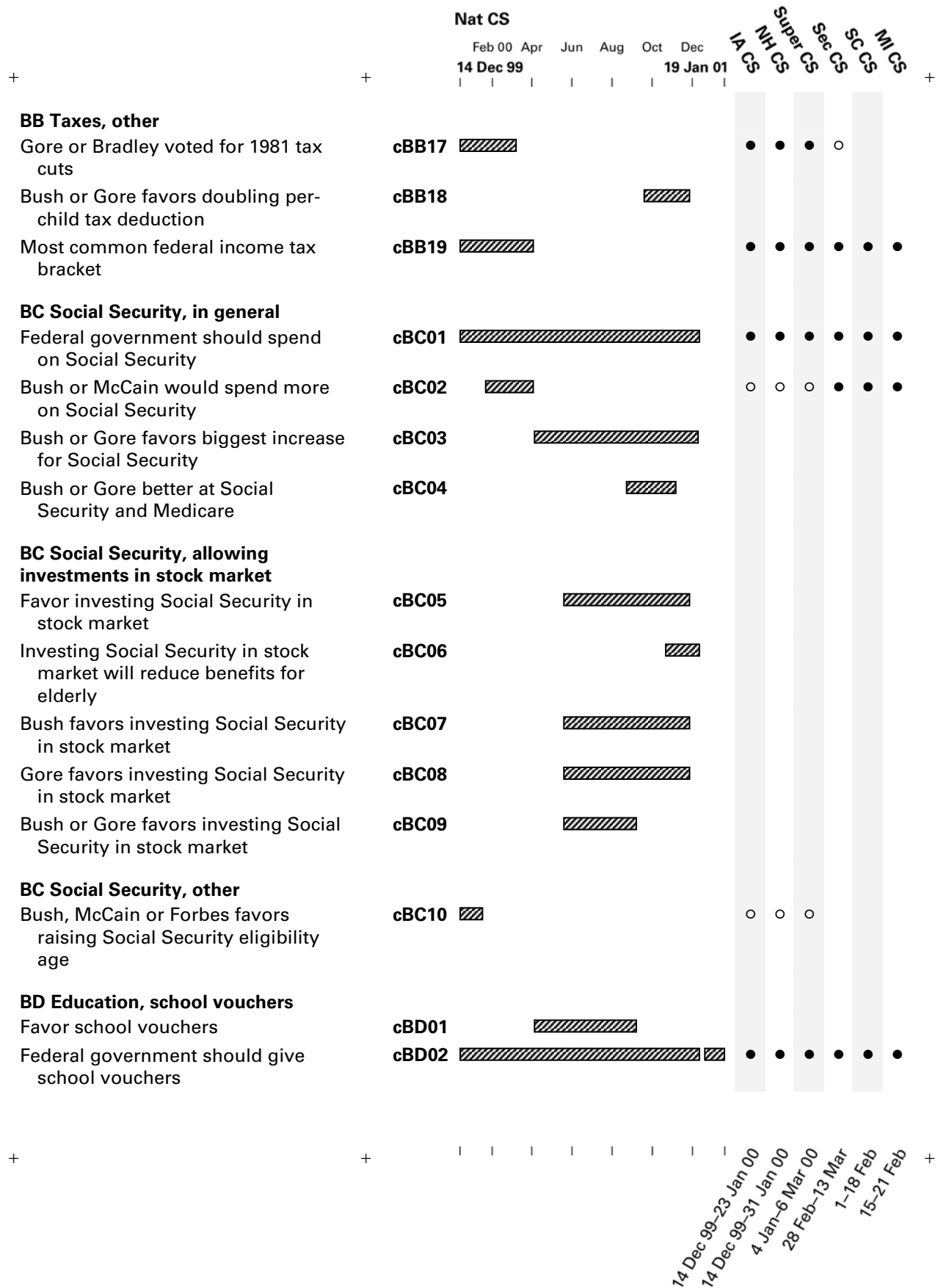
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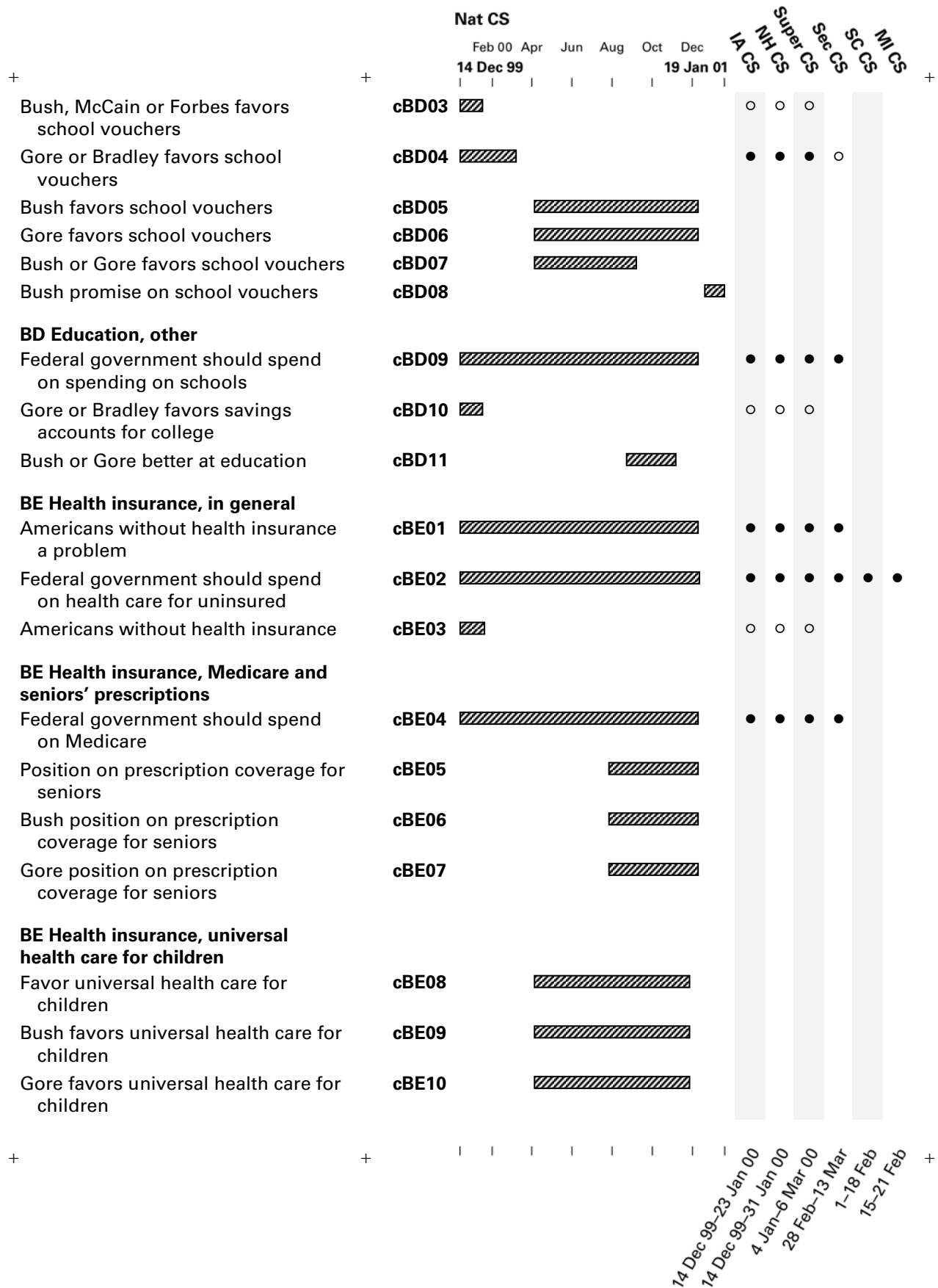
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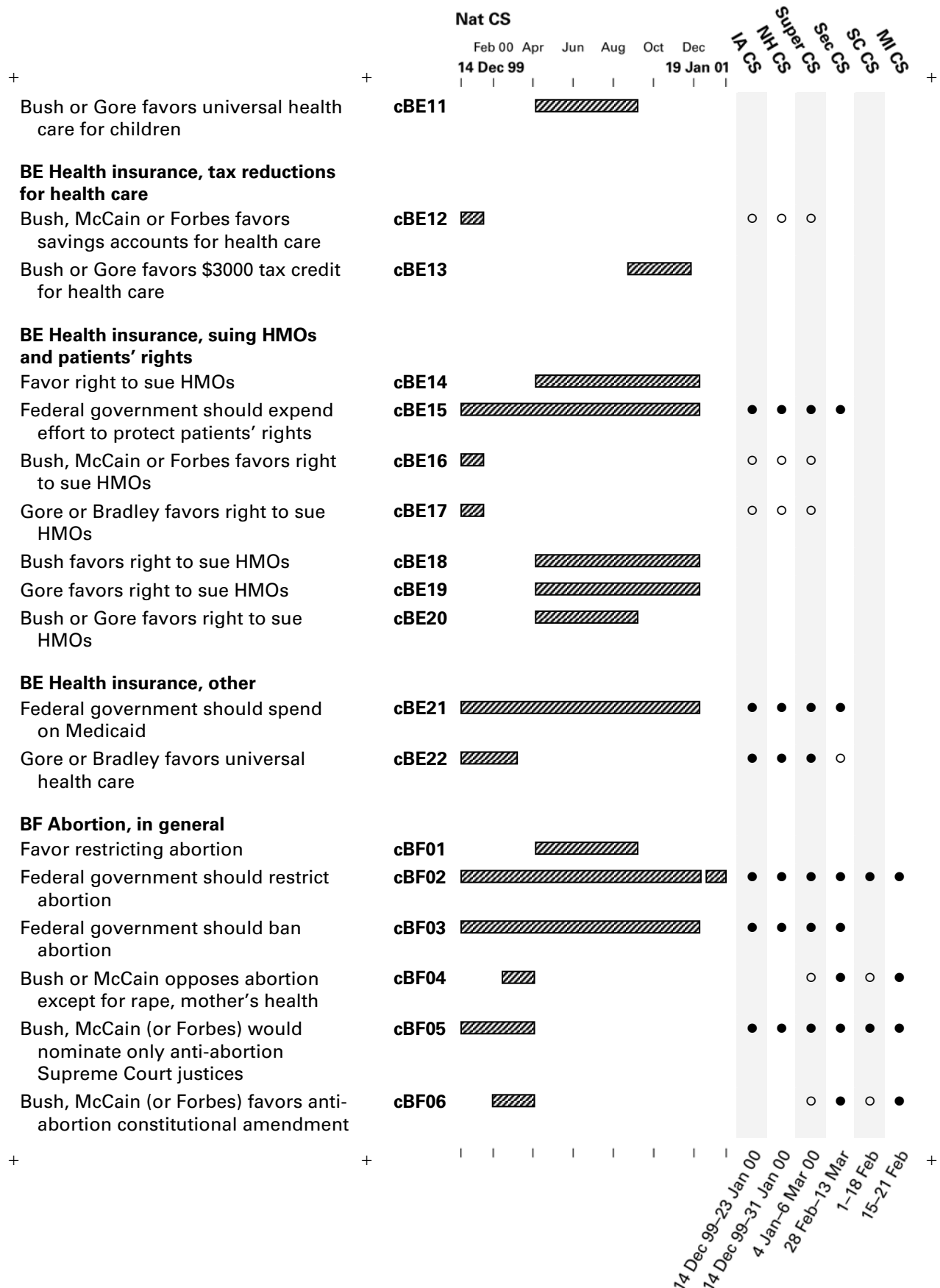
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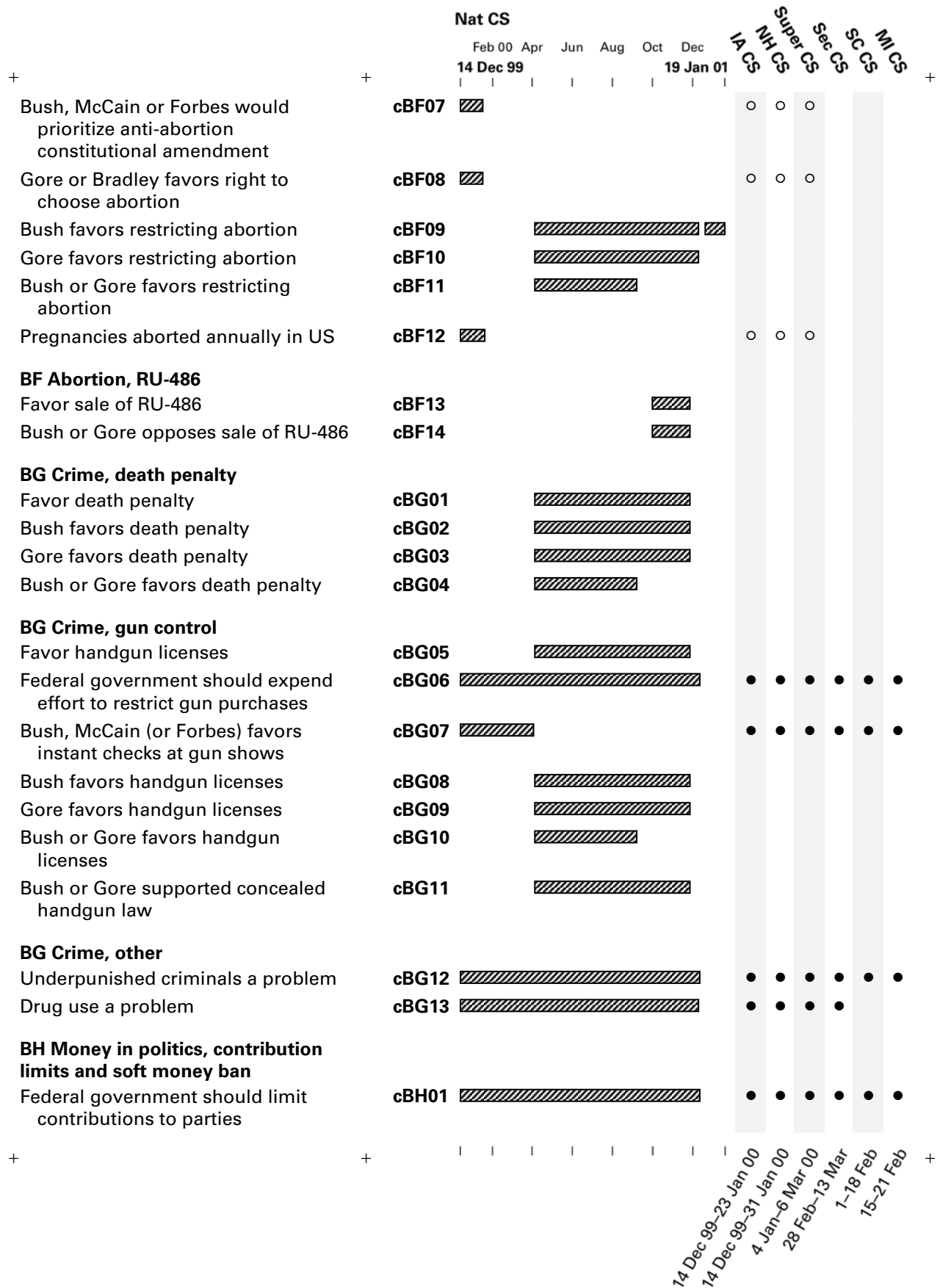


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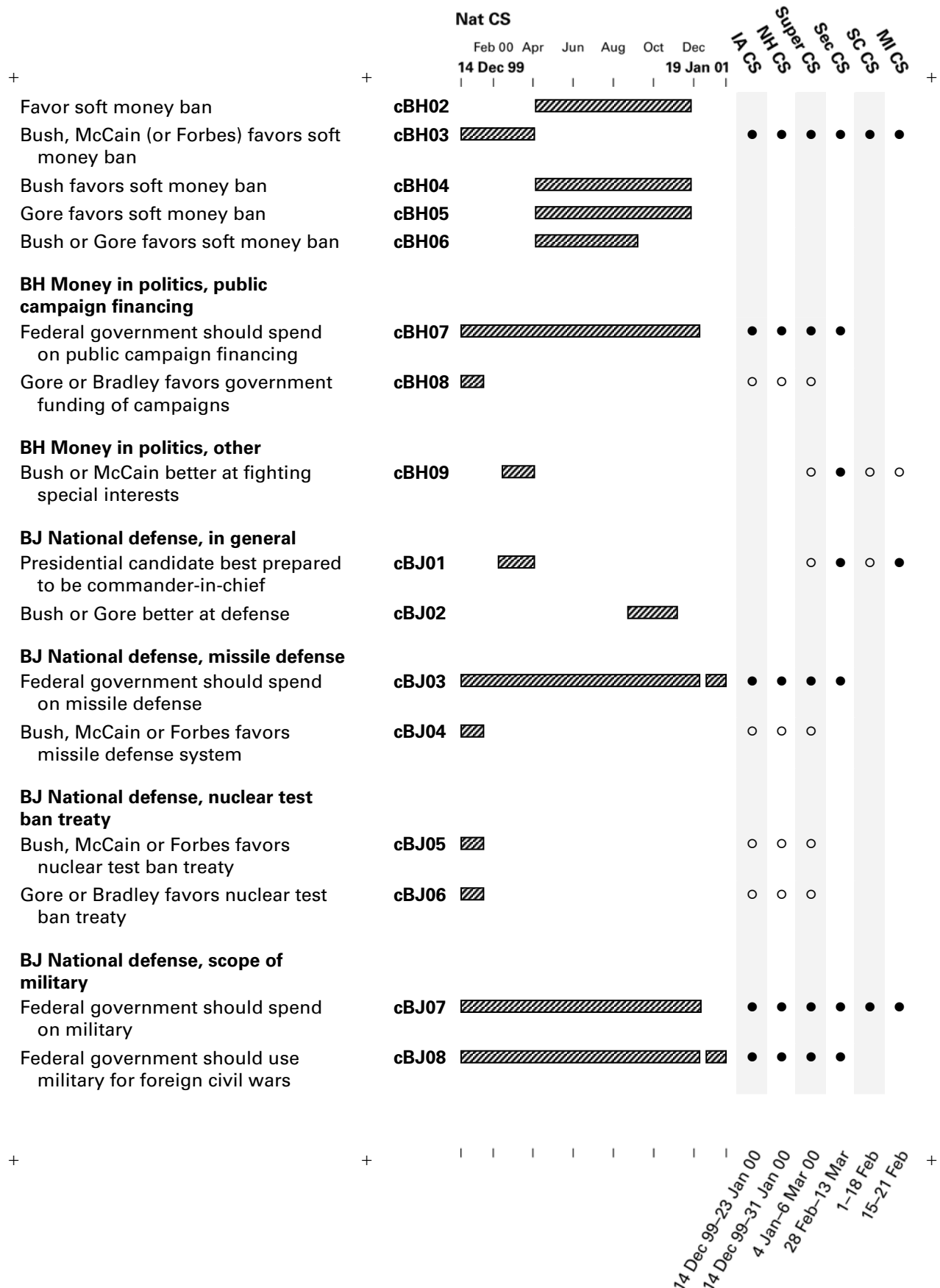
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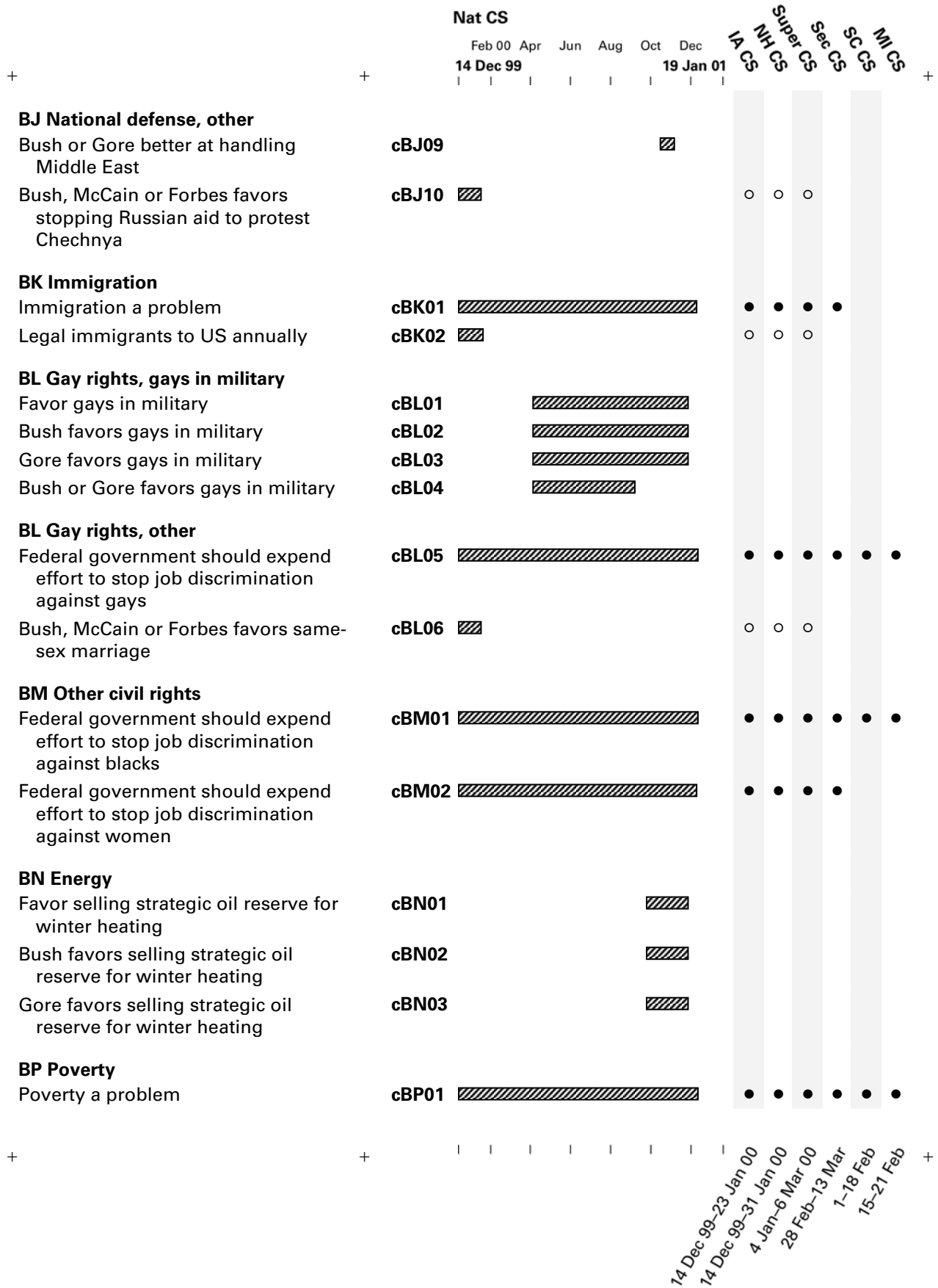
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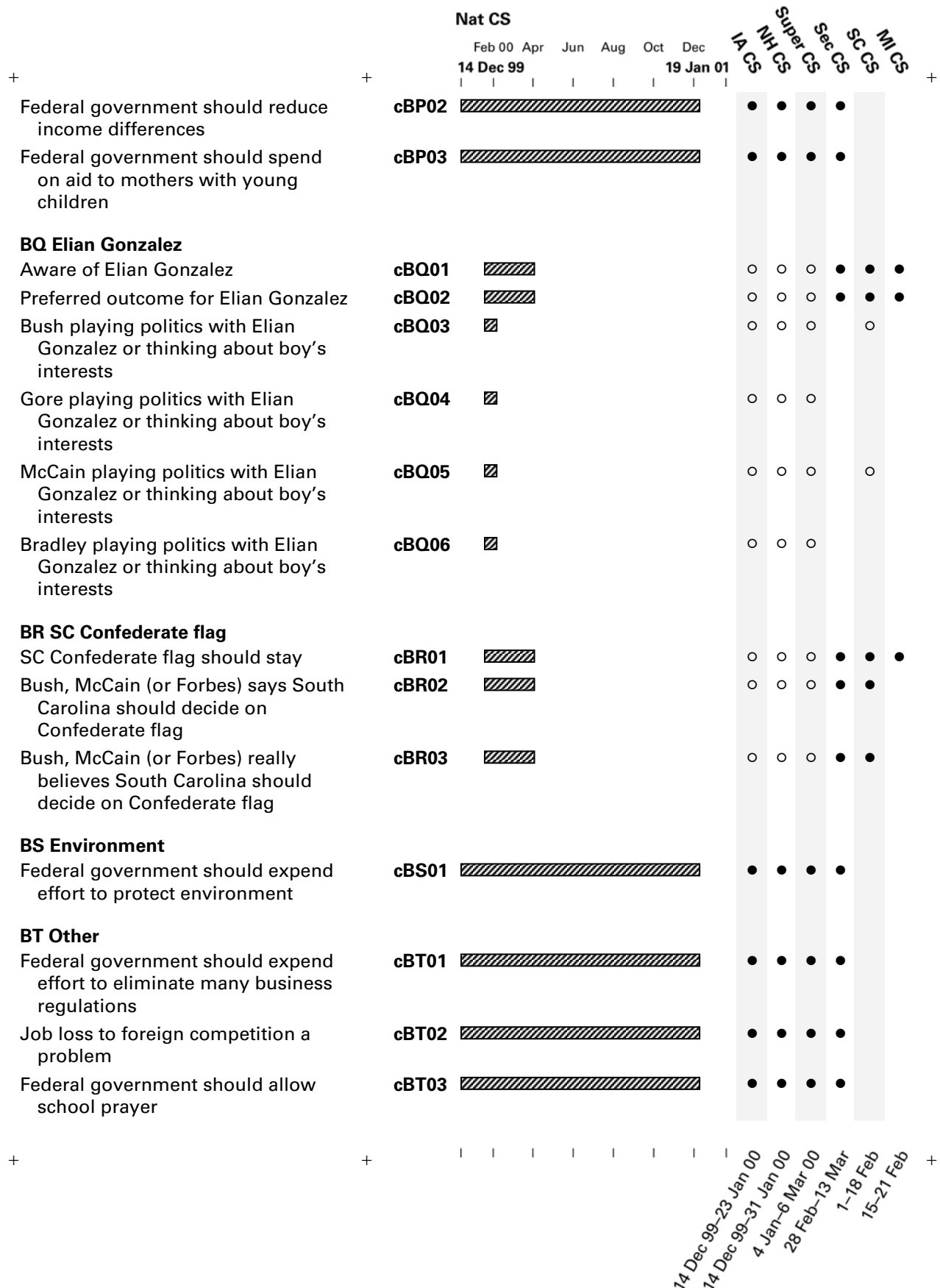
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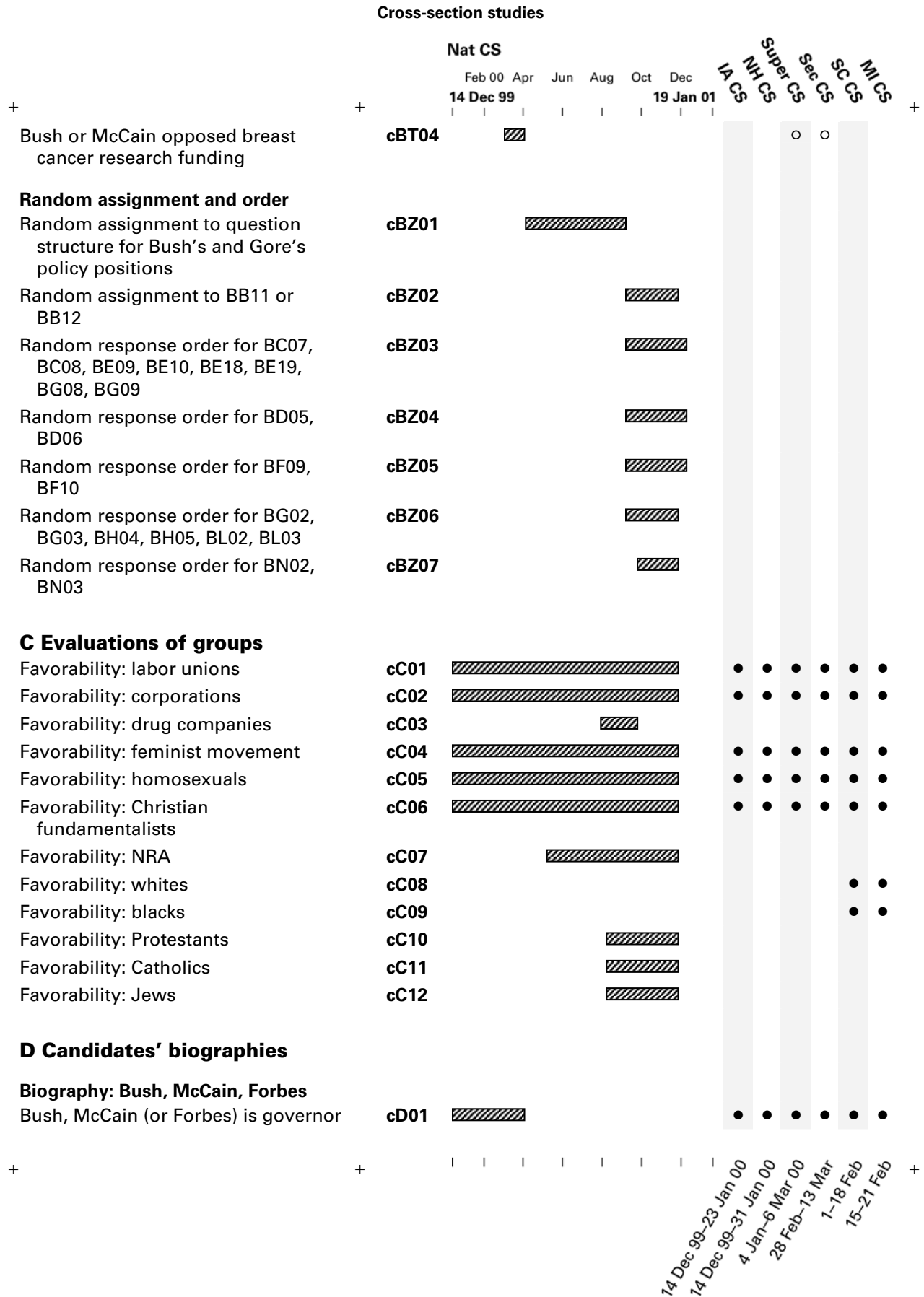


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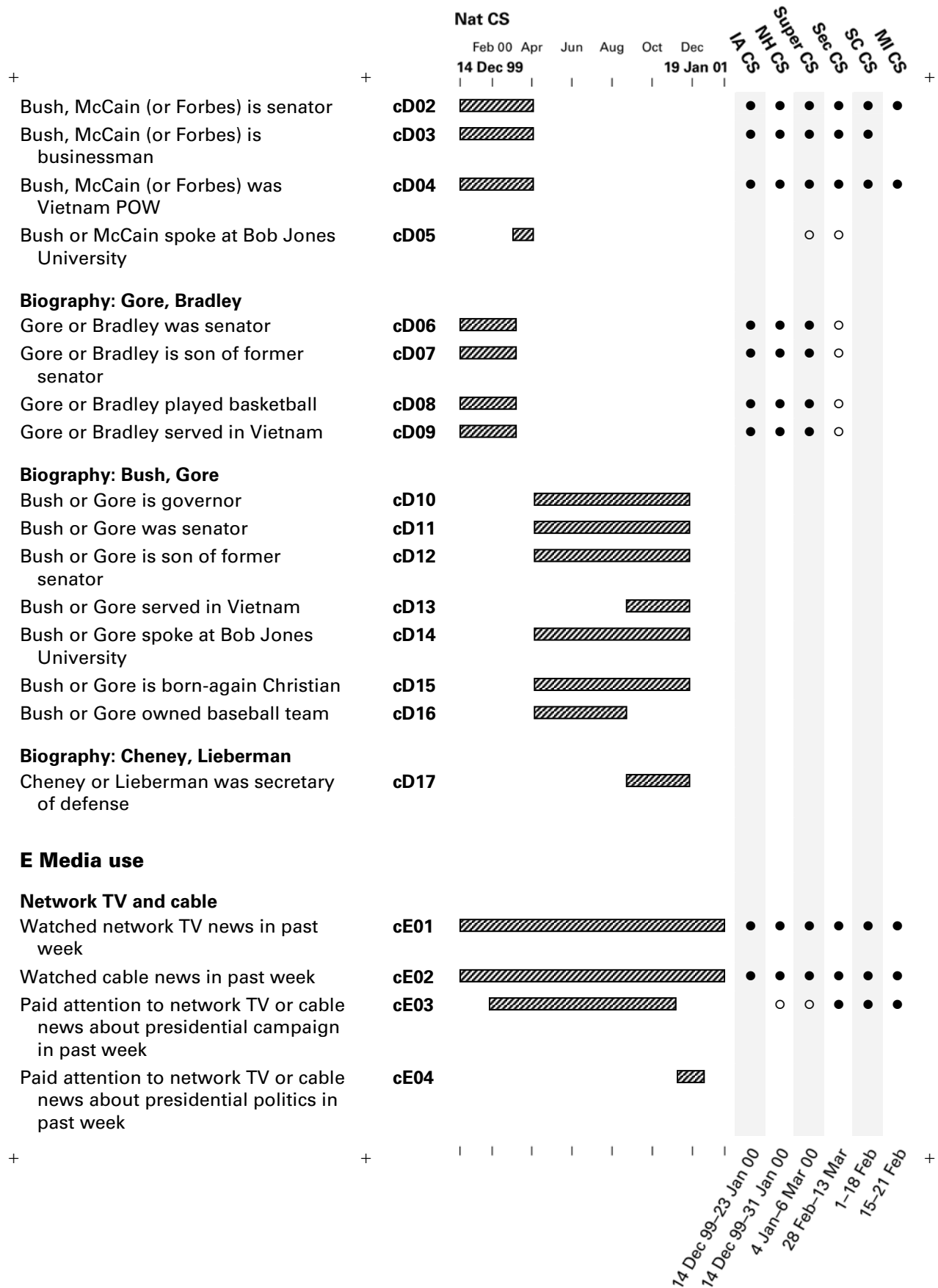
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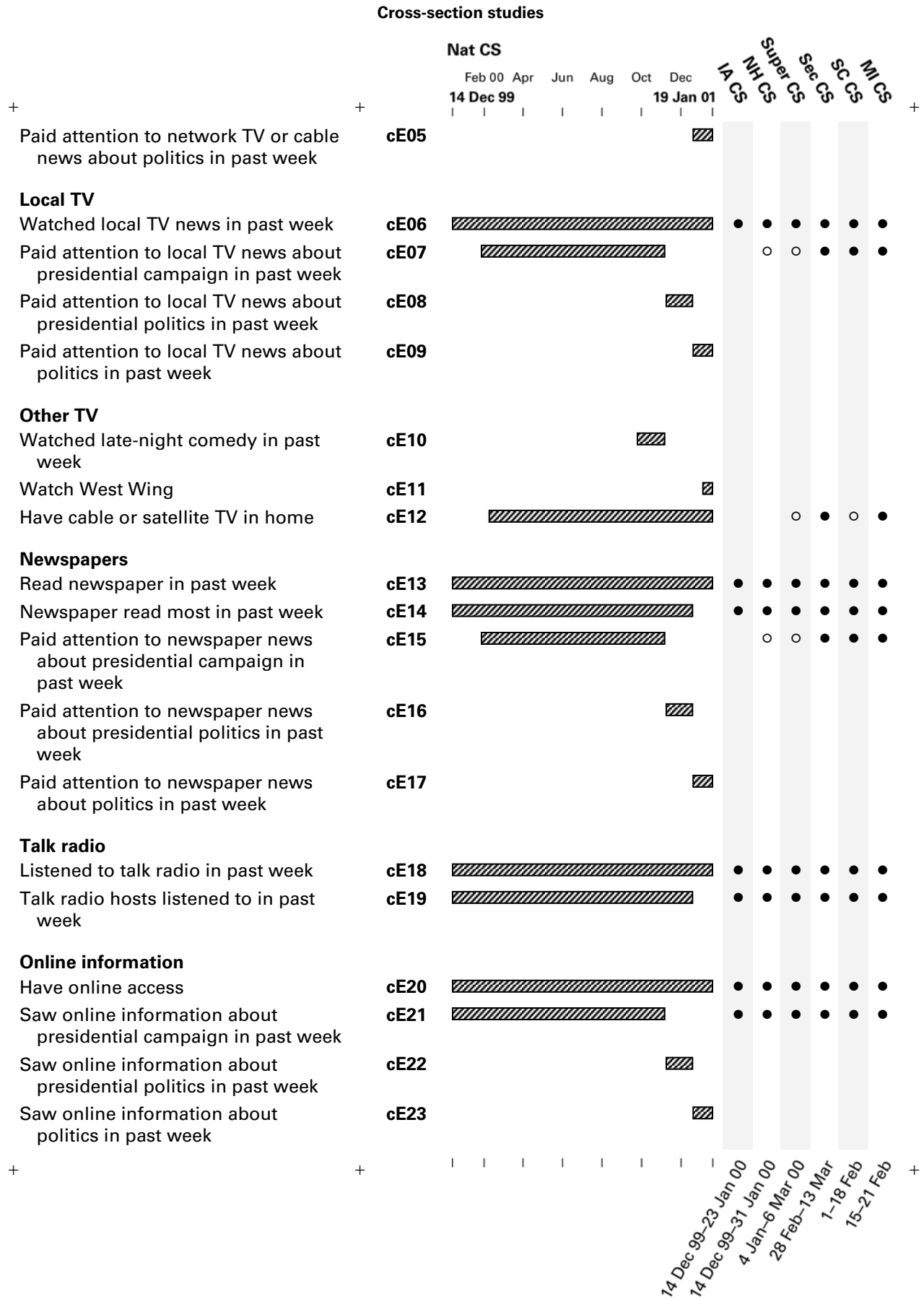




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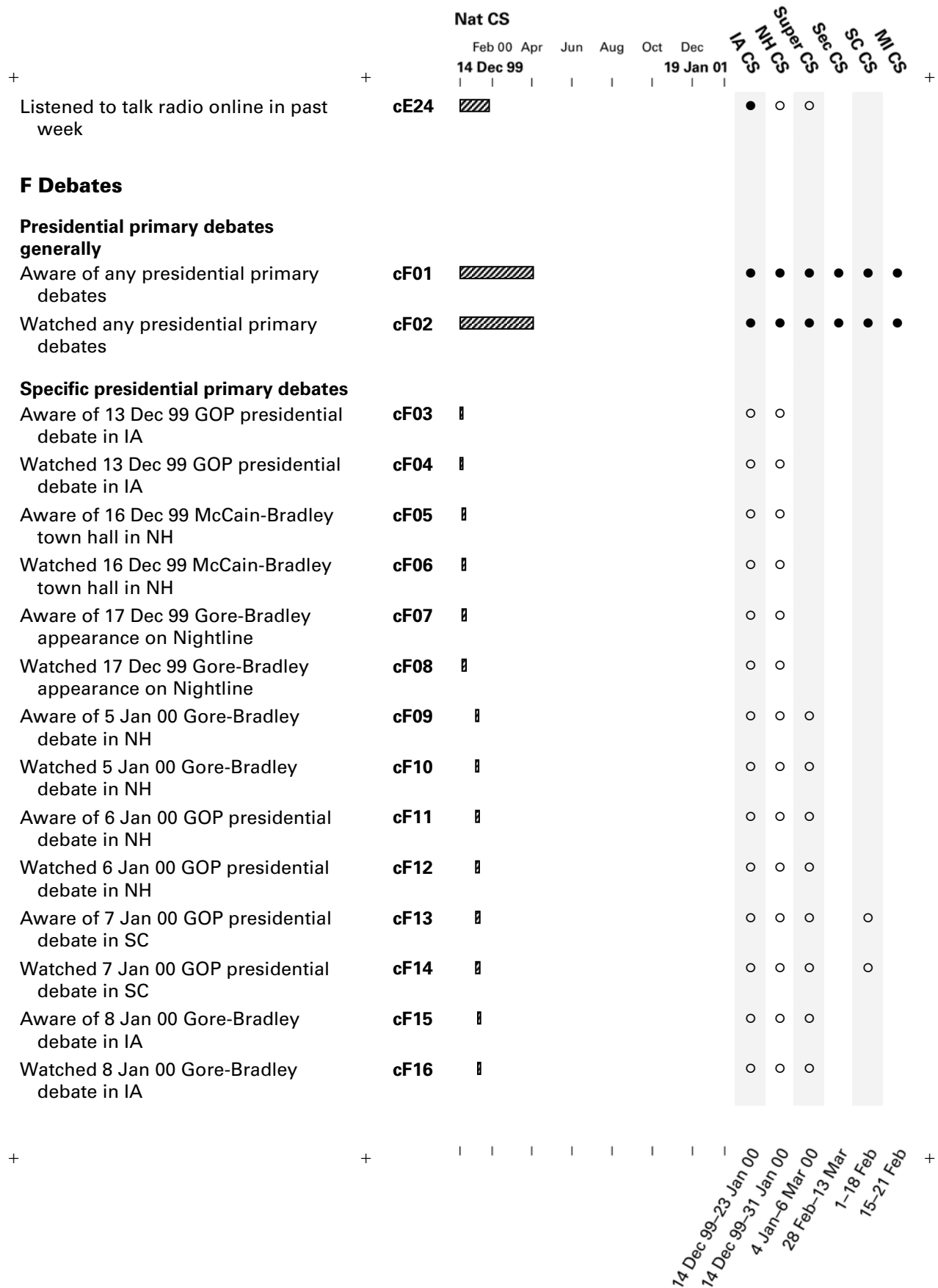
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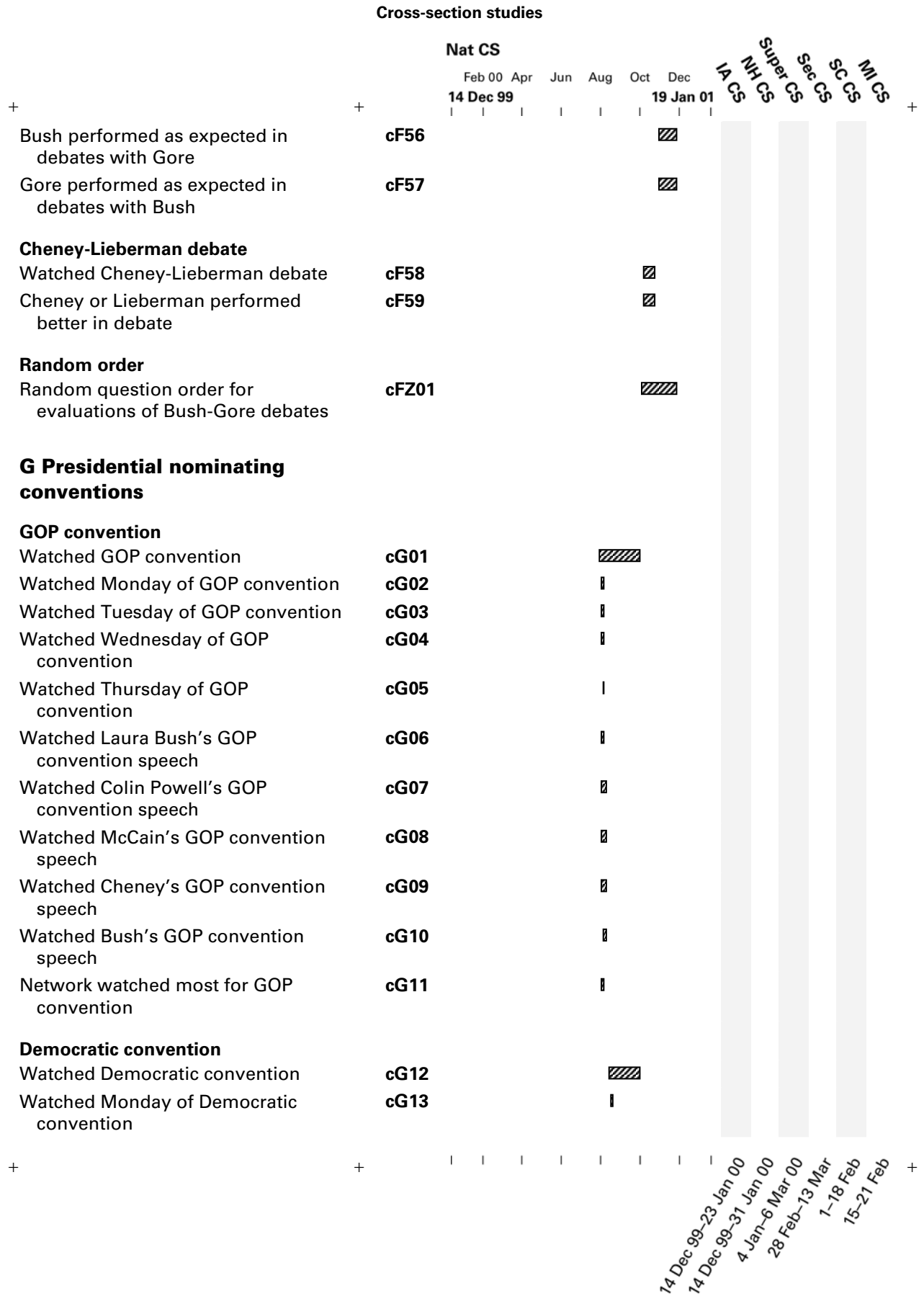
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		Feb 00	Apr	Jun	Aug	Oct	Dec		IA CS	NH CS	Super CS	Sec CS	SC CS	MI CS		
		14 Dec 99						19 Jan 01								
+															+	
	Aware of 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI	cF17	▣							○	○	○			●	
	Watched 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI	cF18	▣							○	○	○			●	
	Aware of 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA	cF19	▣							○	○	○				
	Watched 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA	cF20	▣							○	○	○				
	Aware of 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF21	▣							○	○	○				
	Watched 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF22	▣							○	○	○				
	Aware of 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF23	▣								○	○				
	Watched 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF24	▣								○	○				
	Aware of 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH	cF25	▣								○	○				
	Watched 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH	cF26	▣								○	○				
	Aware of 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC	cF27	▣									○		○	○	
	Watched 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC	cF28	▣									○		○	○	
	Aware of 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY	cF29	▣									○				
	Watched 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY	cF30	▣									○				
	Aware of 1 Mar Gore-Bradley debate in CA	cF31	▣									○	○			
	Watched 1 Mar Gore-Bradley debate in CA	cF32	▣									○	○			
	Aware of 2 Mar Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in CA	cF33	▣									○	○			
	Watched 2 Mar Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in CA	cF34	▣									○	○			
	3 Oct Bush-Gore debate															
	Watched 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF35						▣								
	Did not watch but aware of 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF36						▣								
+															+	
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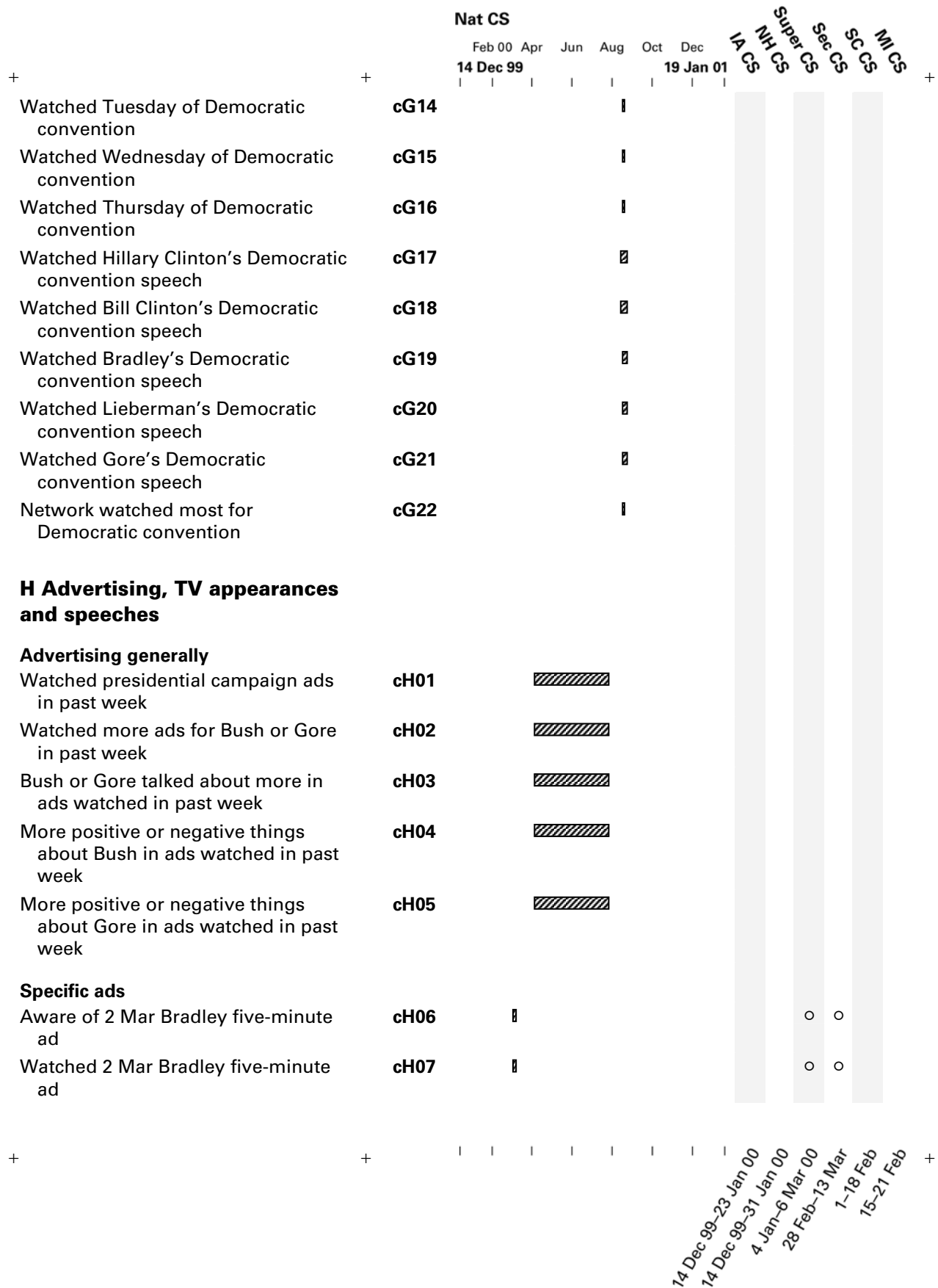
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		Feb 00		Apr	Jun	Aug	Oct	Dec	19 Jan 01									
		14 Dec 99									IA CS	NH CS	Super CS	Sec CS	SC CS	MI CS		
Bush or Gore performed better in 3 Oct debate	cF37																	
Bush performed as expected in 3 Oct debate	cF38																	
Gore performed as expected in 3 Oct debate	cF39																	
Network watched for 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF40																	
11 Oct Bush-Gore debate																		
Watched 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF41																	
Did not watch but aware of 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF42																	
Bush or Gore performed better in 11 Oct debate	cF43																	
Bush performed as expected in 11 Oct debate	cF44																	
Gore performed as expected in 11 Oct debate	cF45																	
Network watched for 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF46																	
17 Oct Bush-Gore debate																		
Watched 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF47																	
Did not watch but aware of 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF48																	
Bush or Gore performed better in 17 Oct debate	cF49																	
Bush performed as expected in 17 Oct debate	cF50																	
Gore performed as expected in 17 Oct debate	cF51																	
Network watched for 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF52																	
Bush-Gore debates in general																		
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Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates	cF55																	

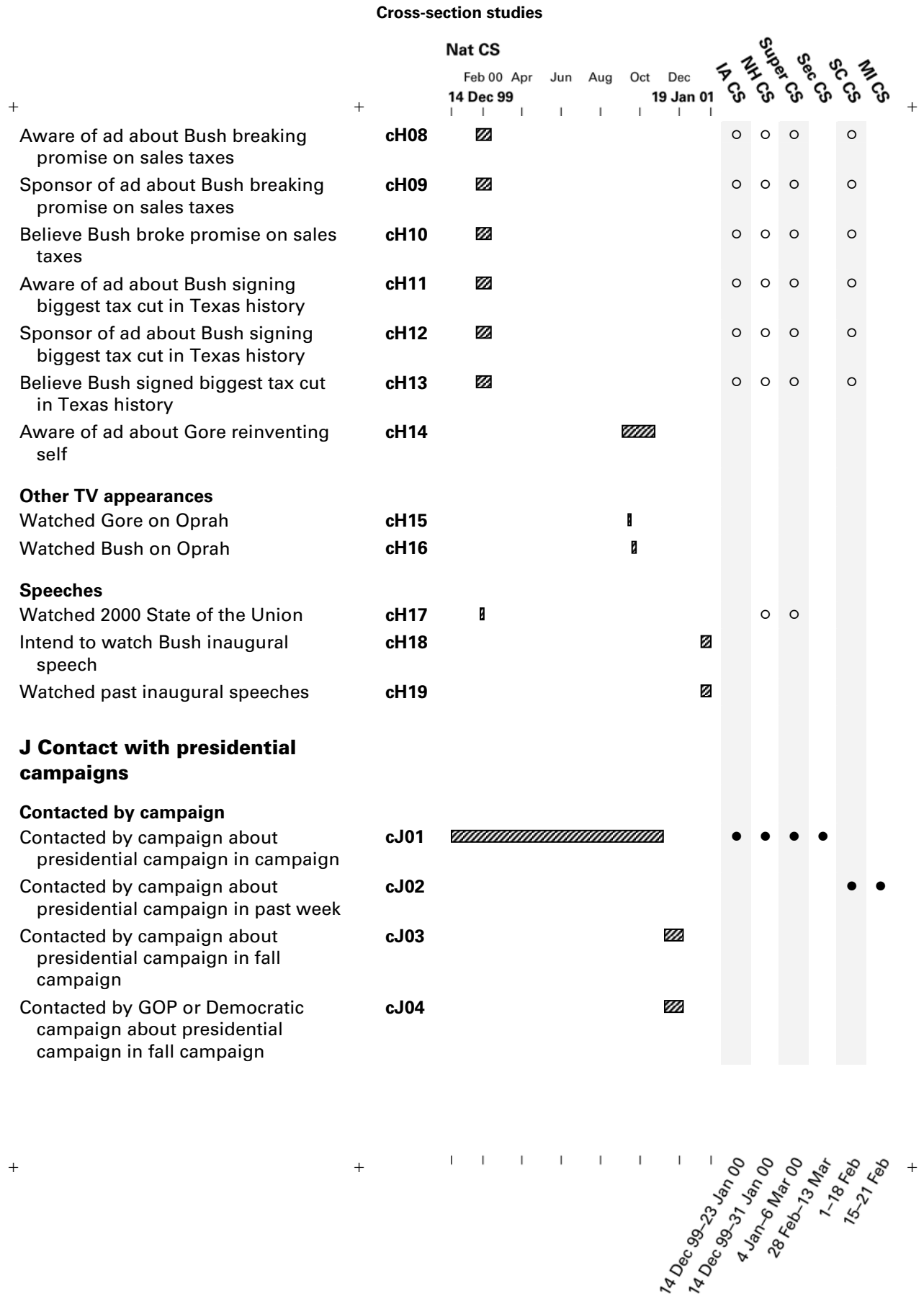
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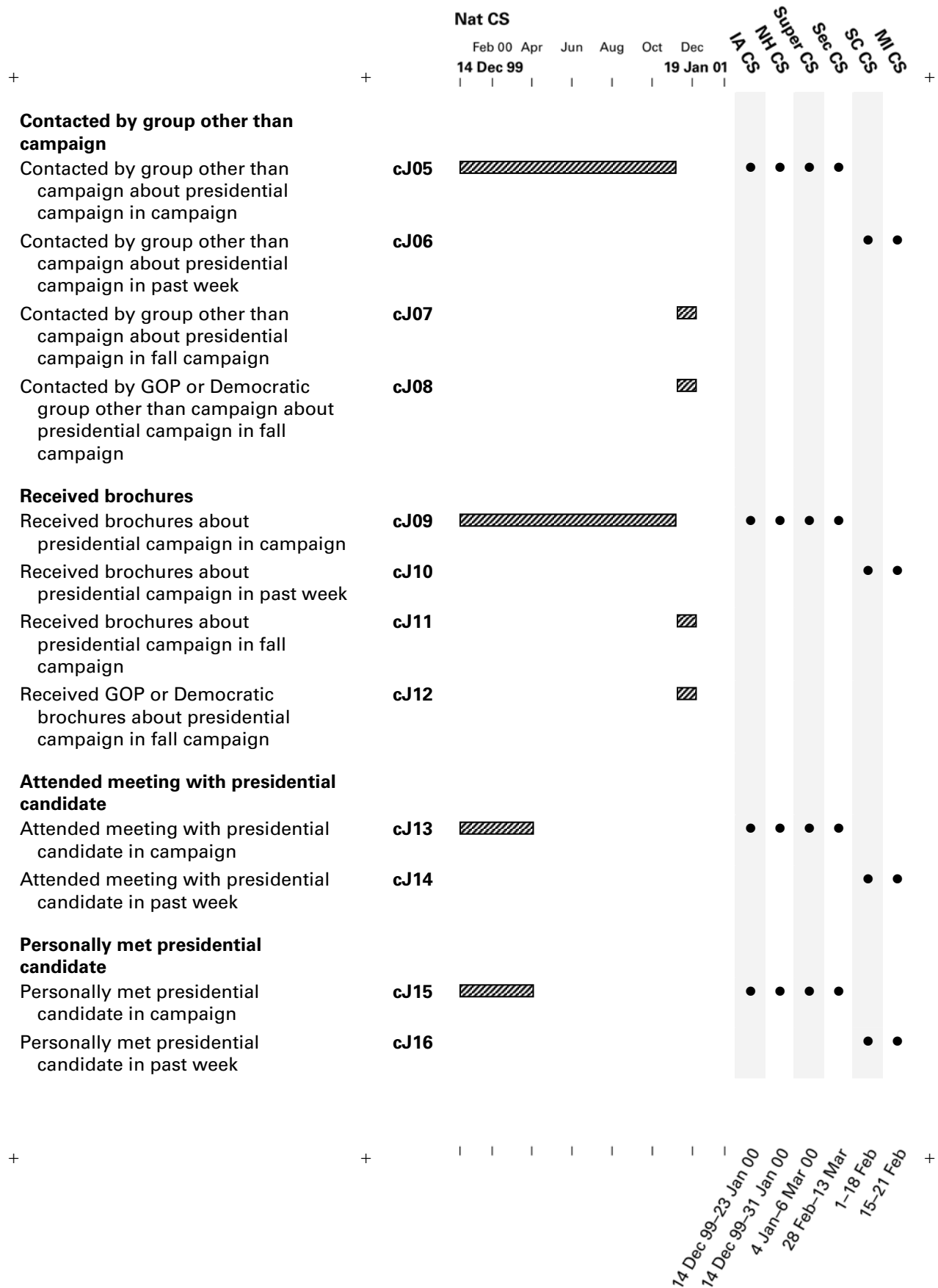
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K Political participation

Interest in politics

- Interested in government
- Interested in 2000 political campaigns
- Interested in presidential campaign
- Care which party wins presidential election

Discussed politics with family or friends

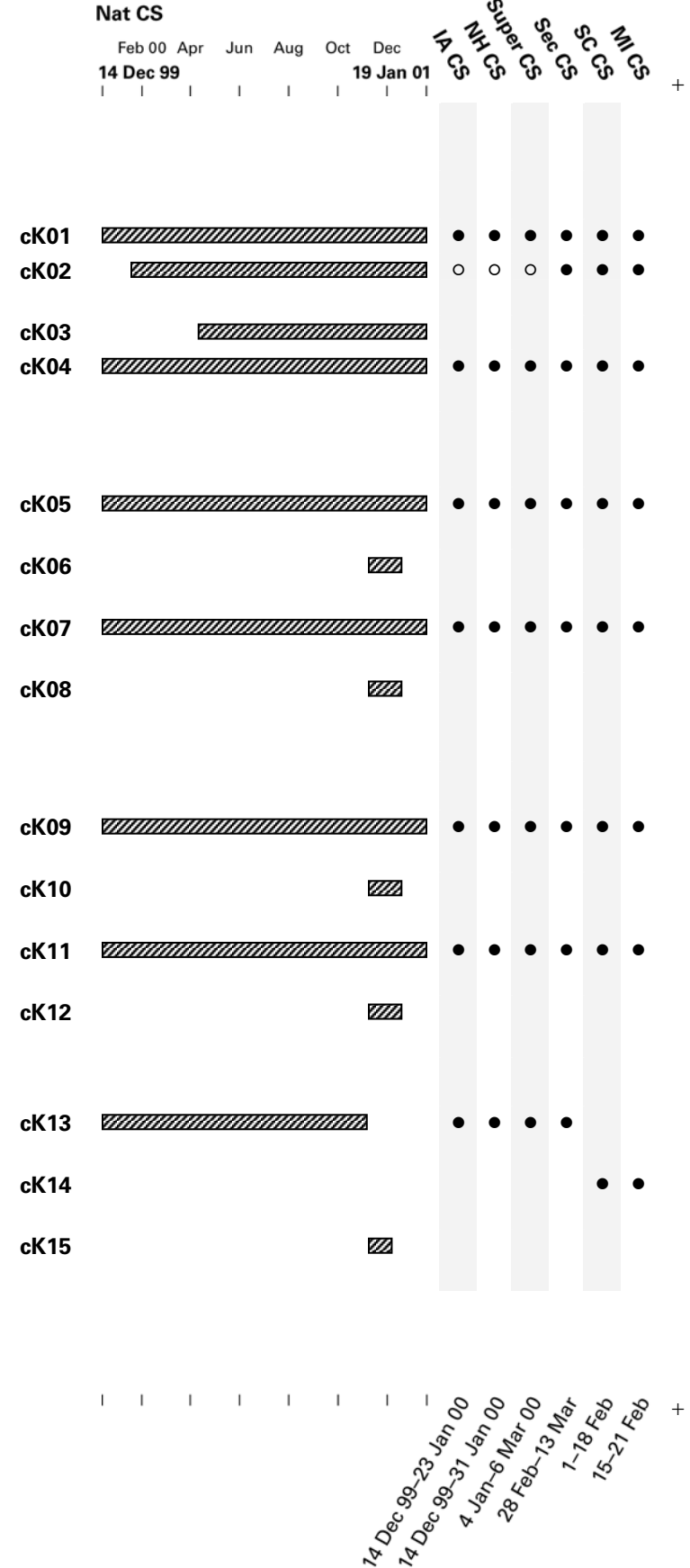
- Discussed politics with family or friends in past week
- Discussed politics with family or friends in fall campaign
- Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week
- Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in fall campaign

Discussed politics at work or online

- Discussed politics at work or online in past week
- Discussed politics at work or online in fall campaign
- Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week
- Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in fall campaign

Advocated voting

- Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign
- Advocated voting for presidential candidate in past week
- Advocated voting for presidential candidate in fall campaign



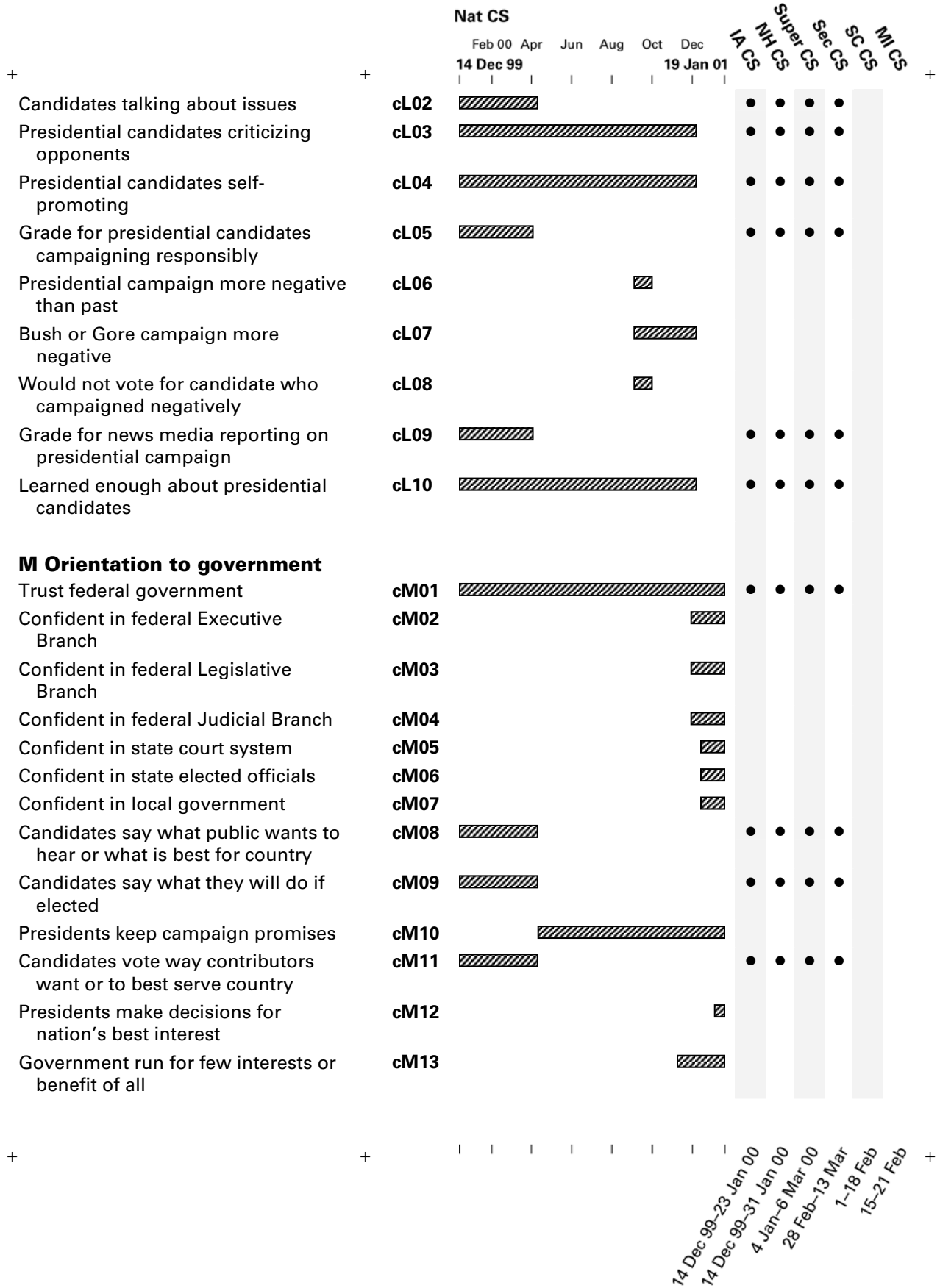
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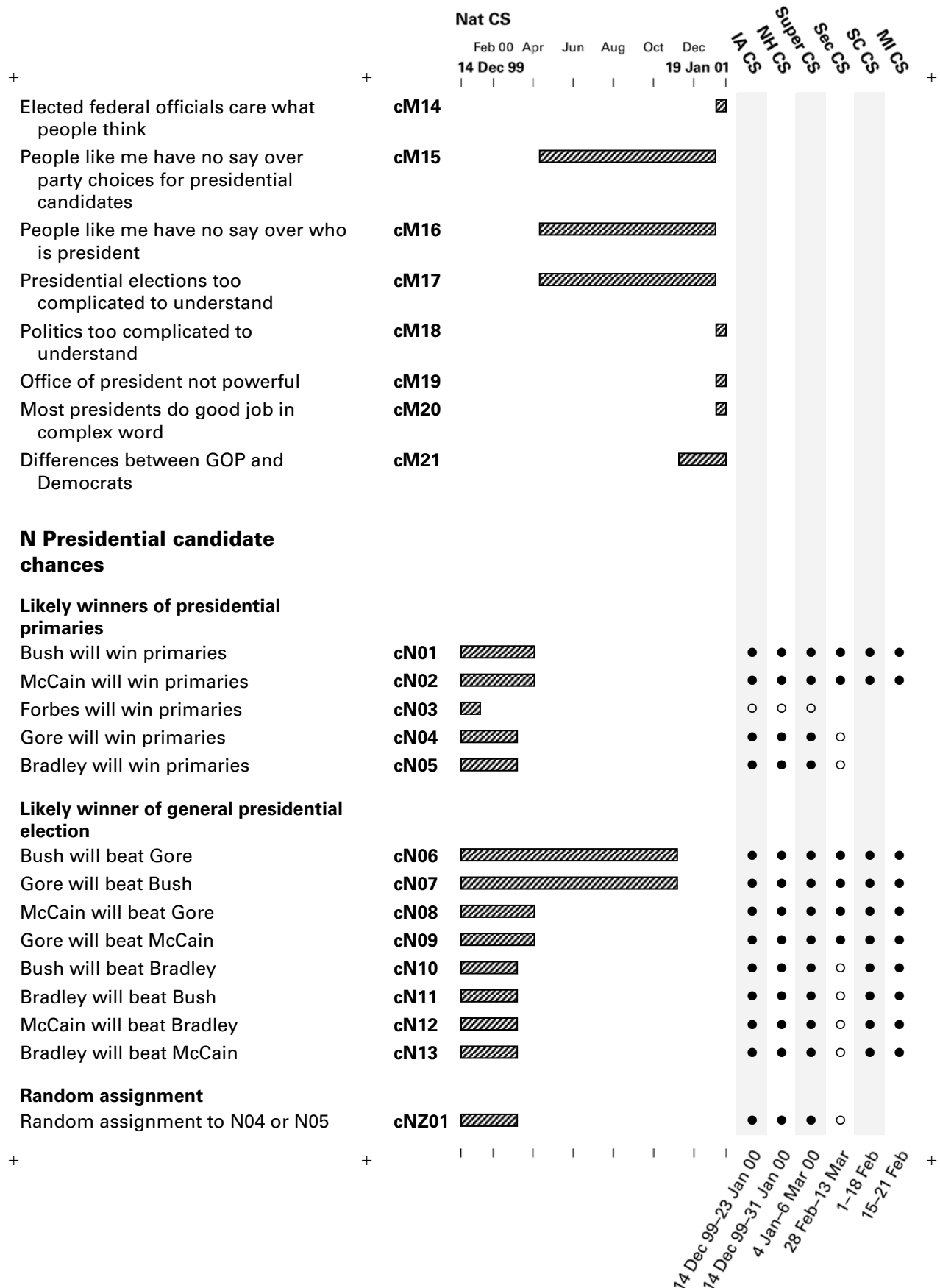


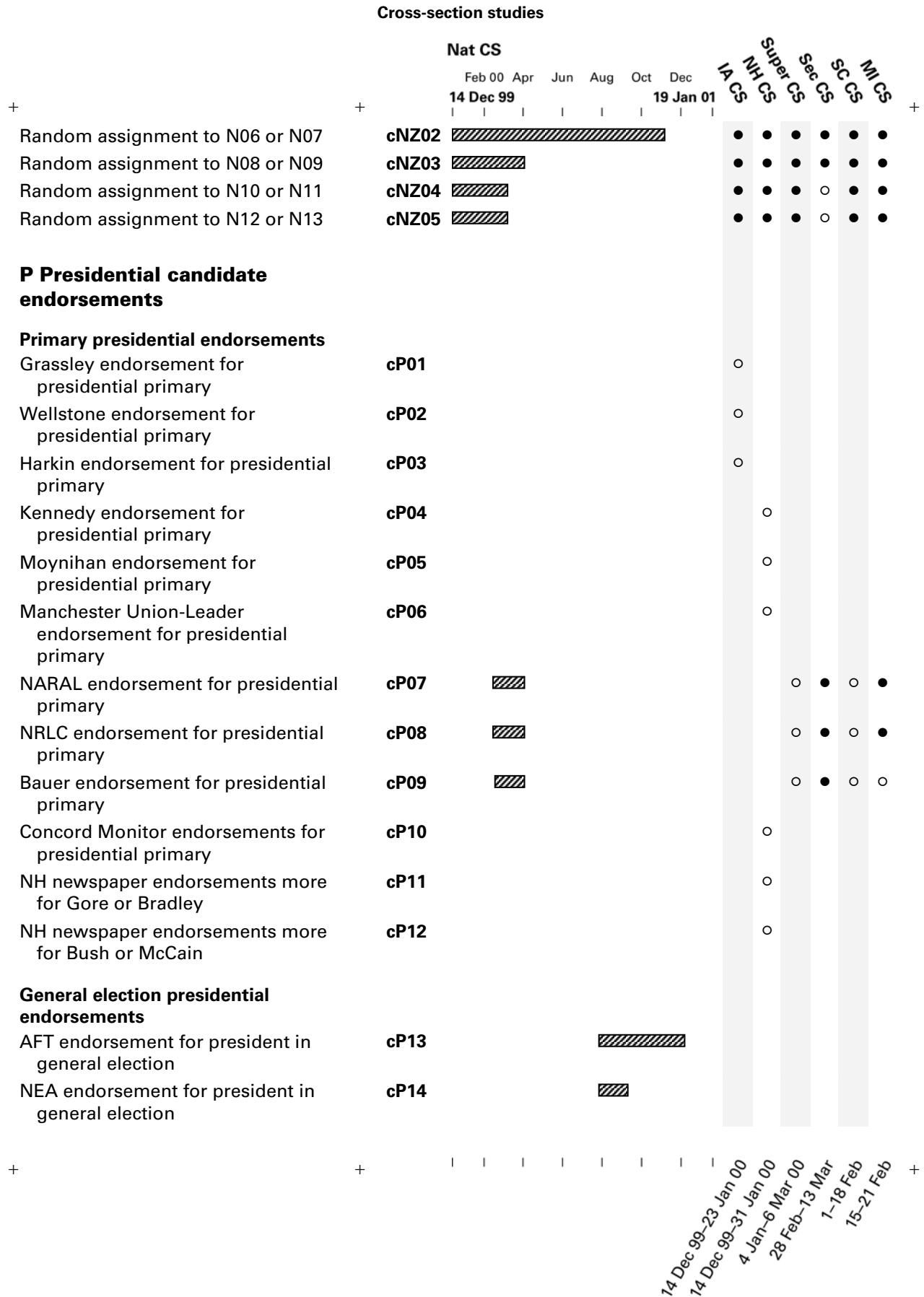
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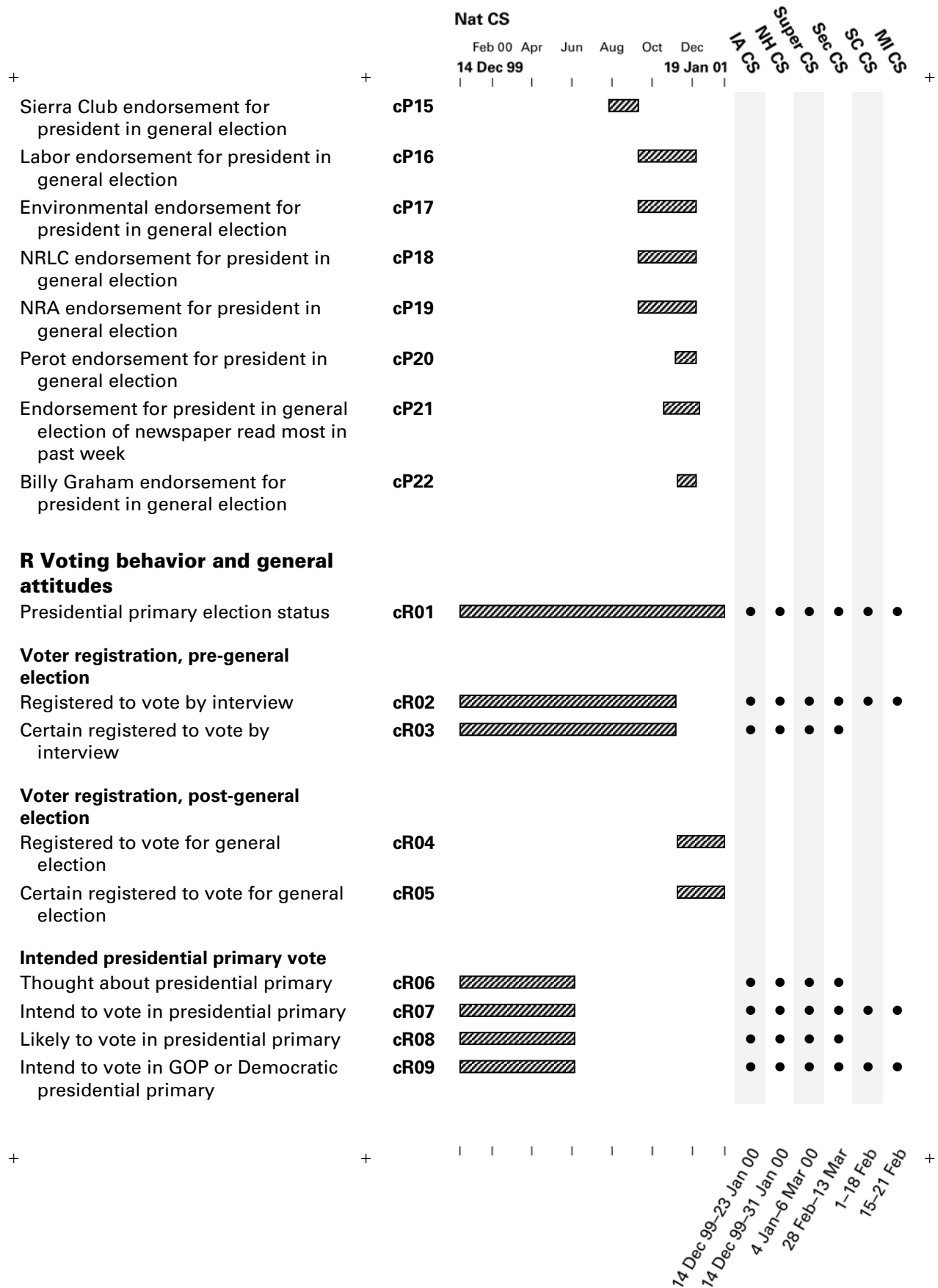
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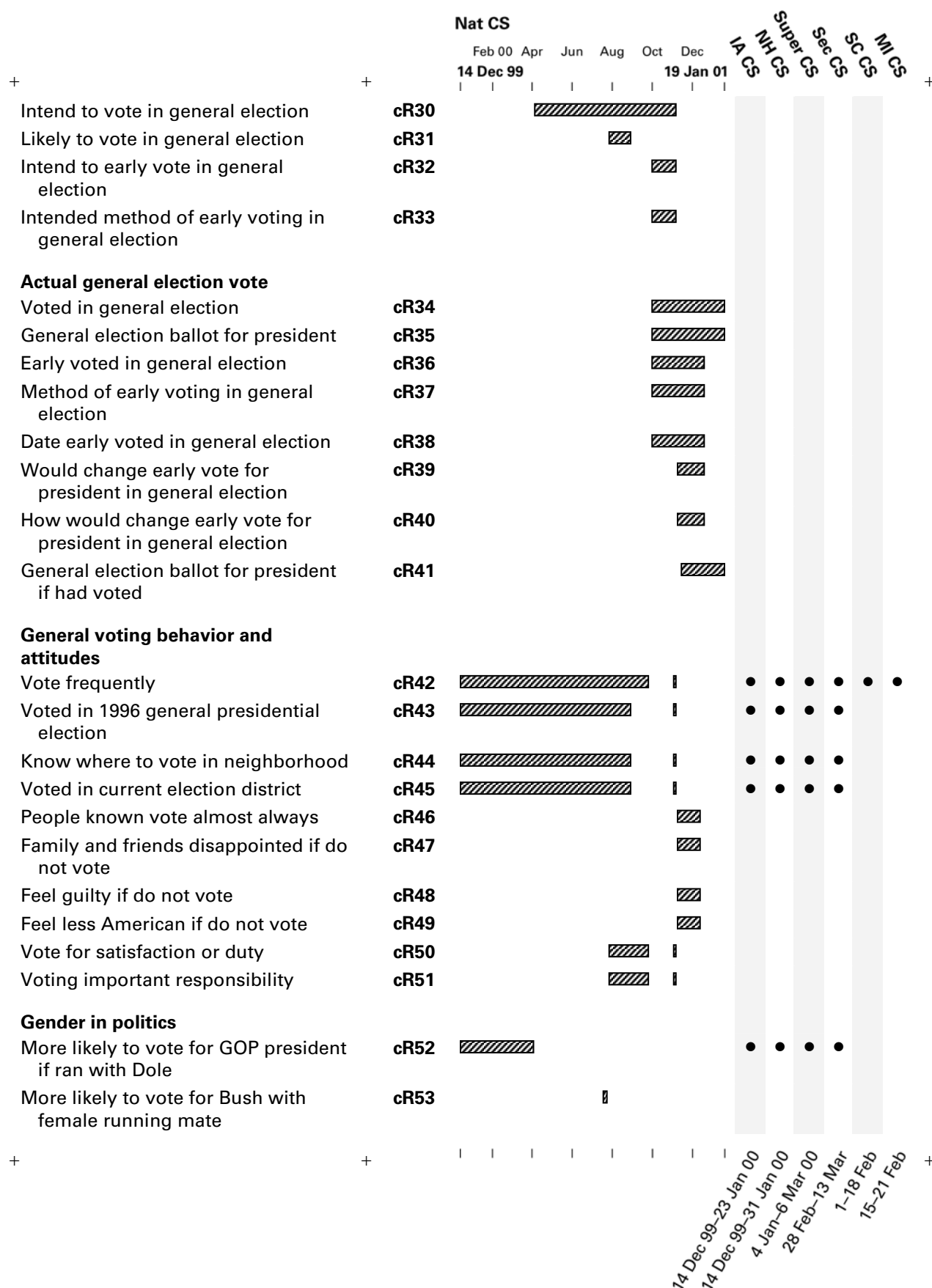
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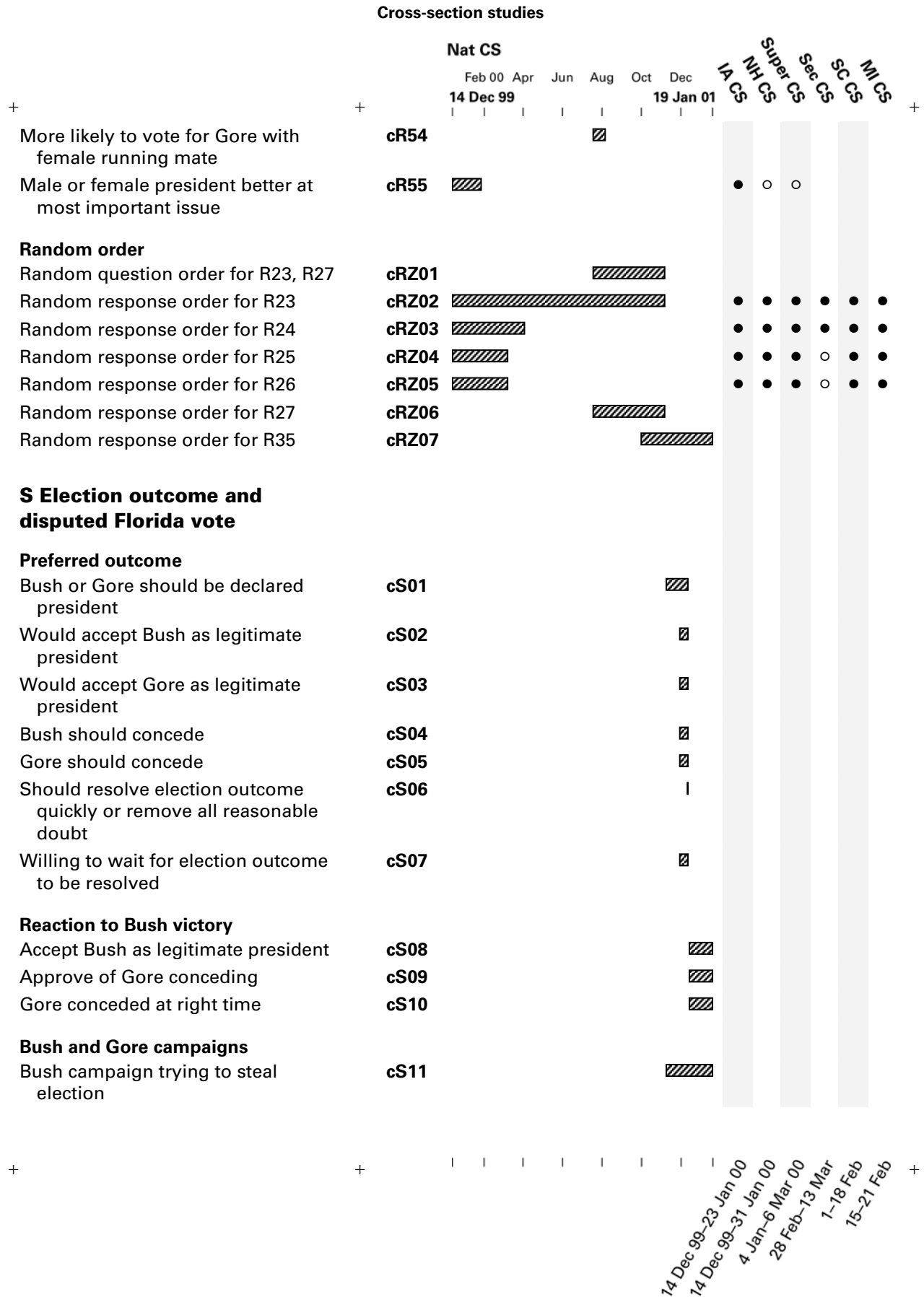




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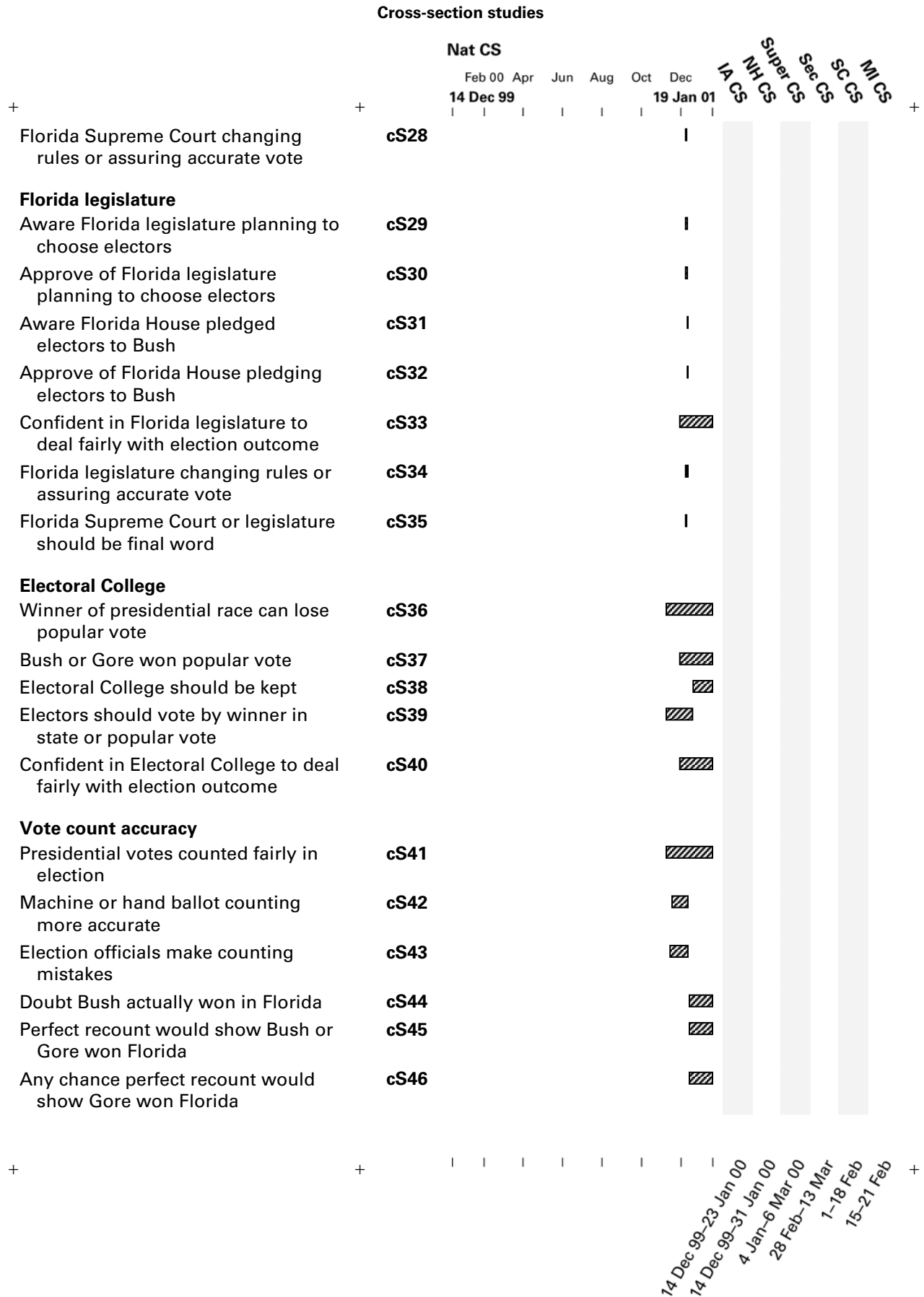




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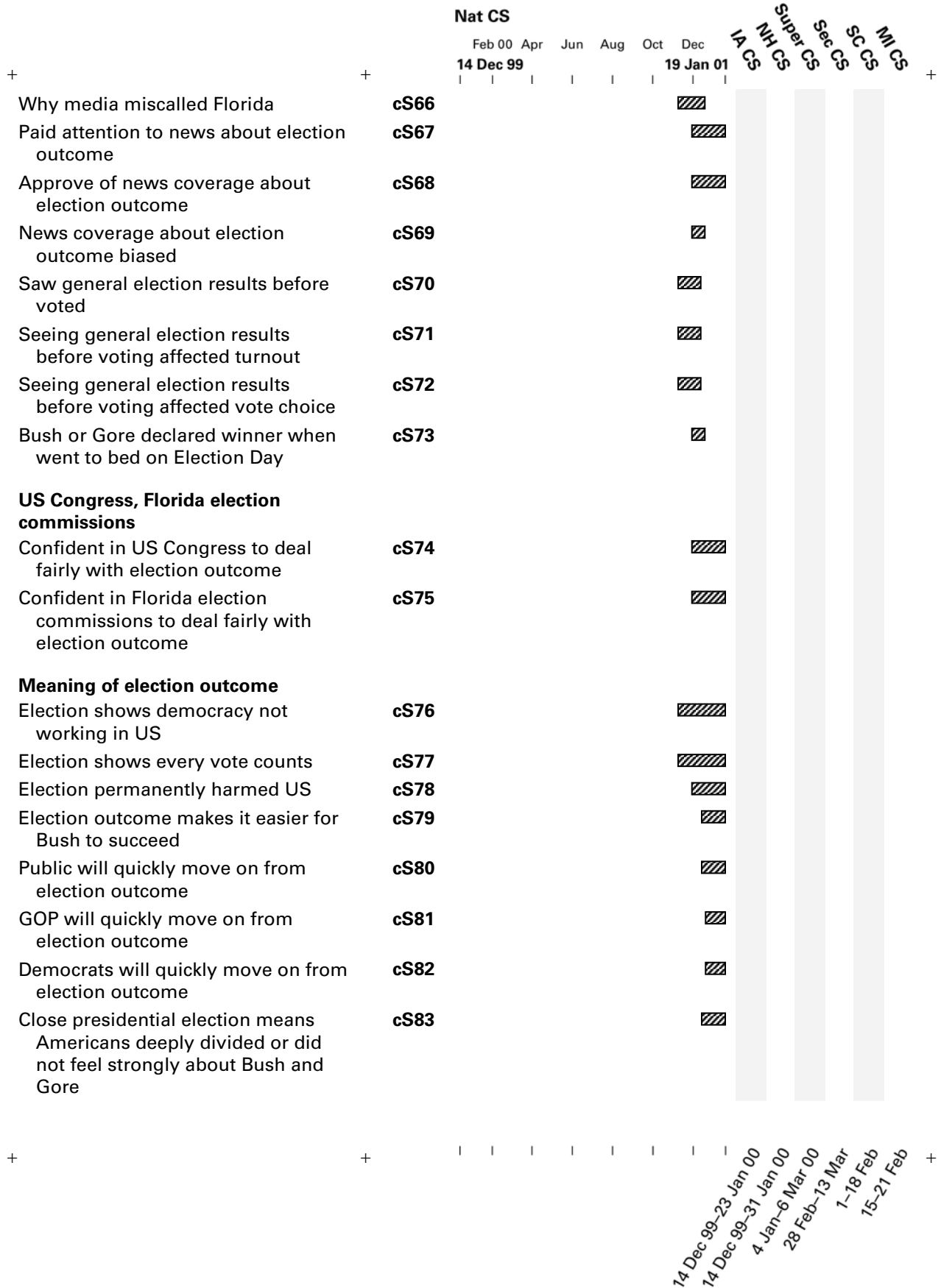
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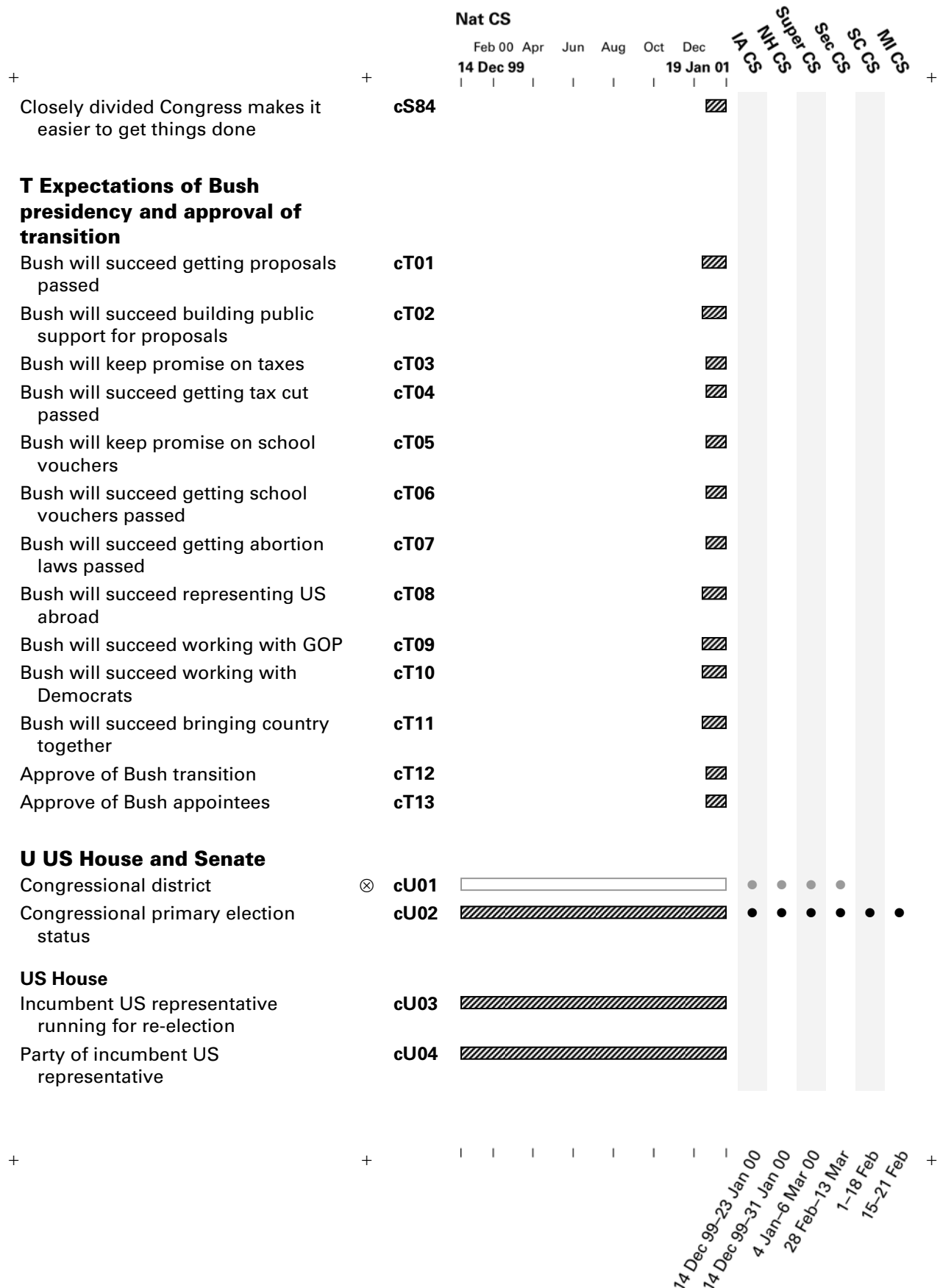
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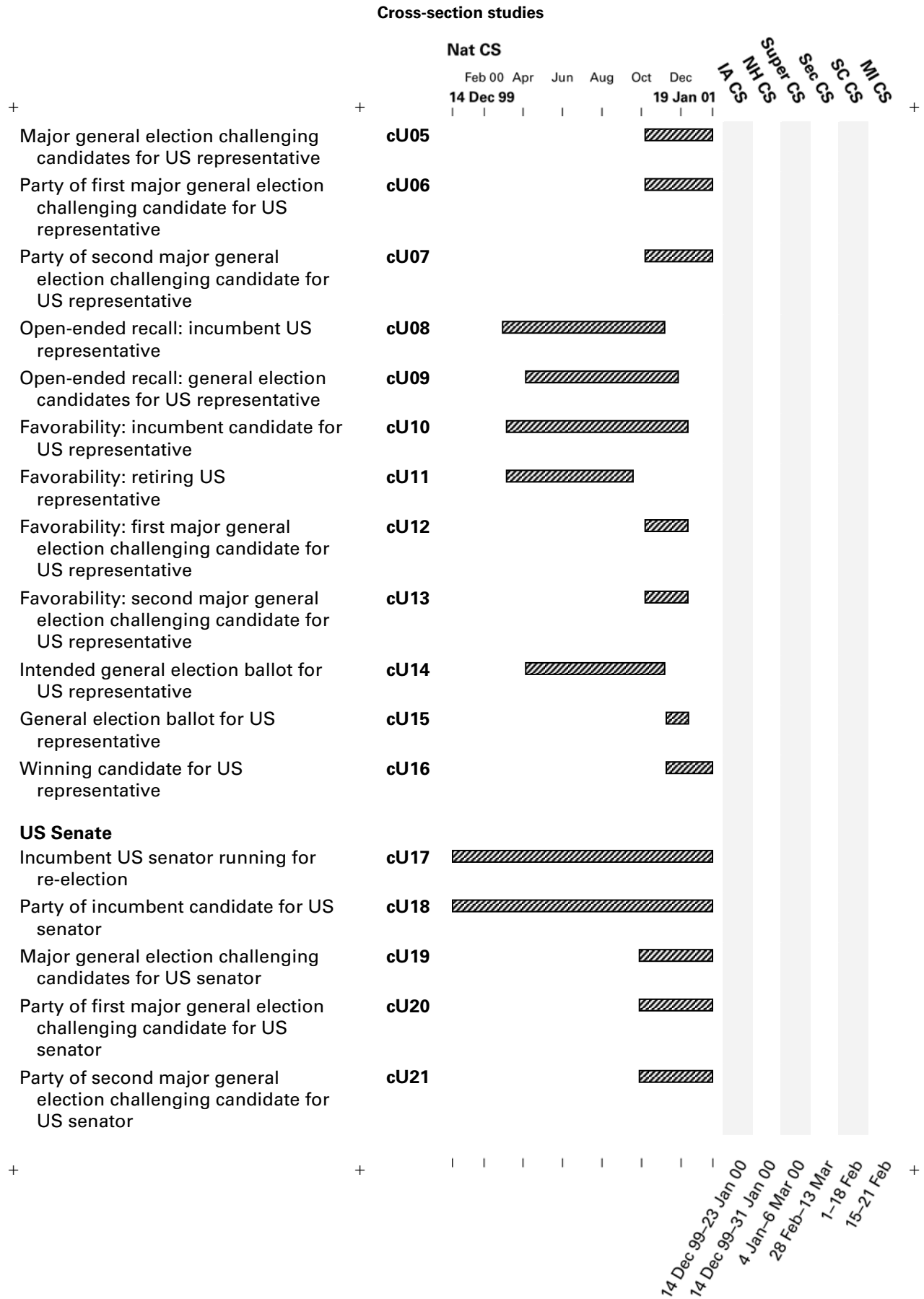


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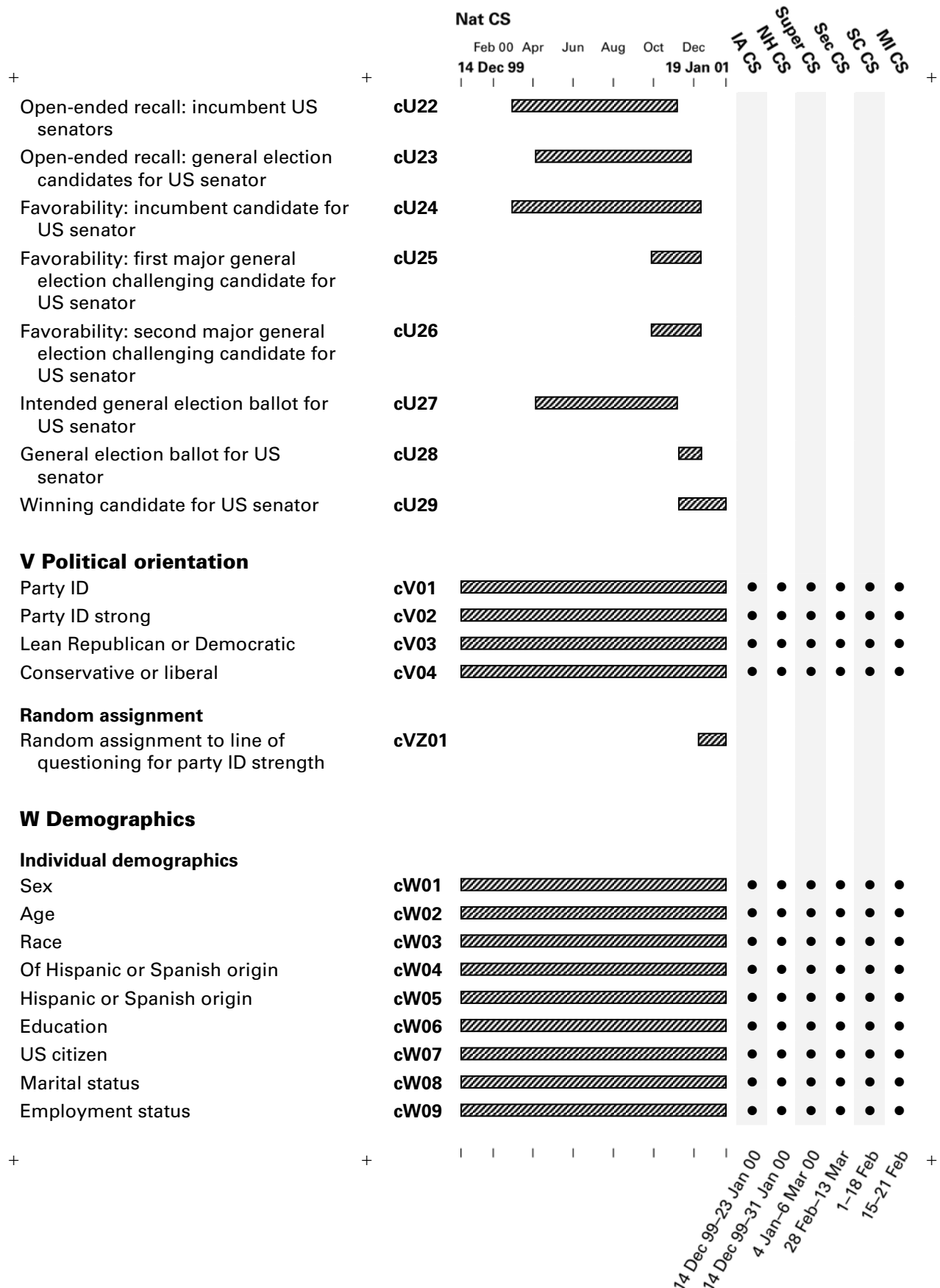
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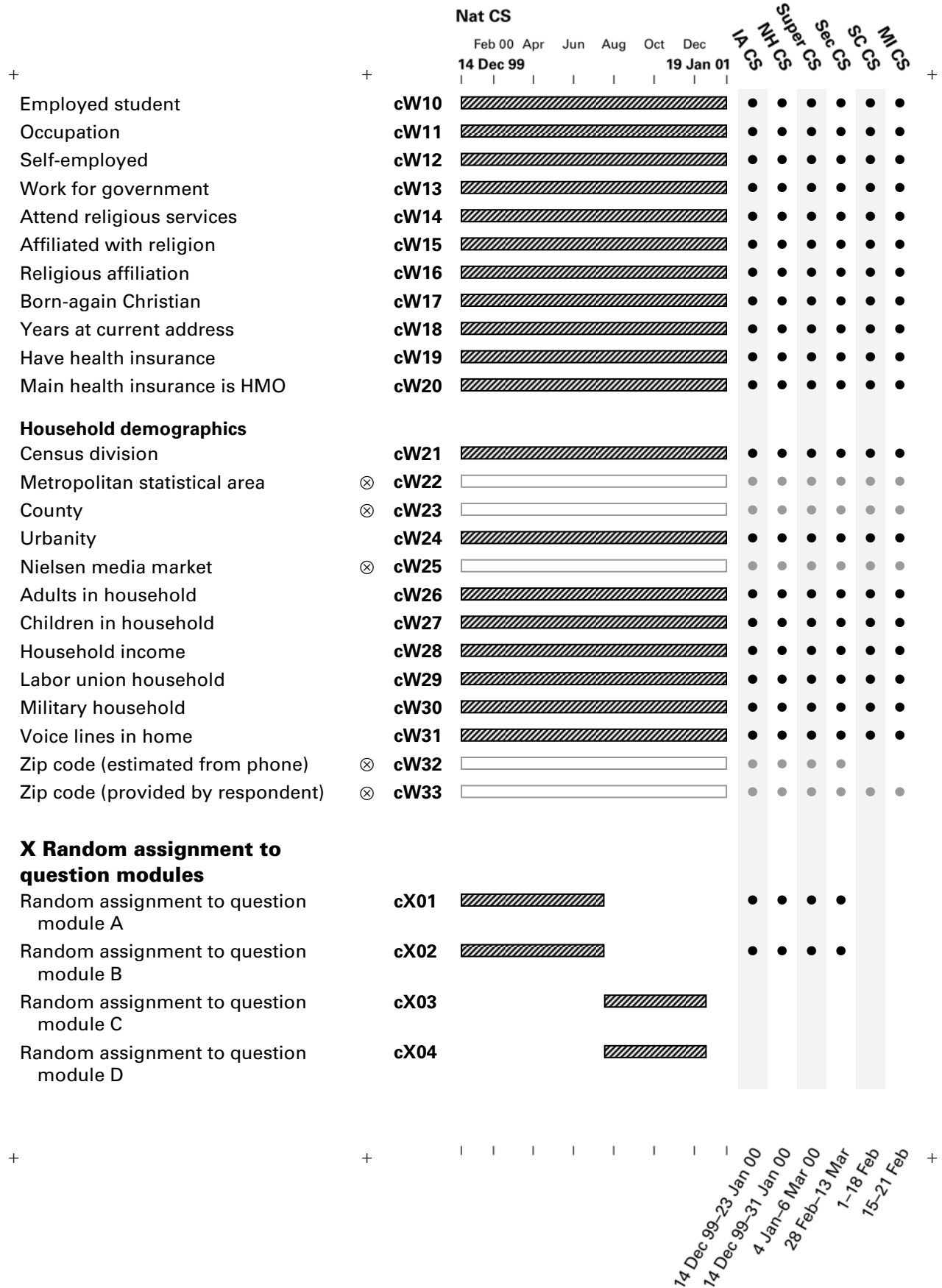


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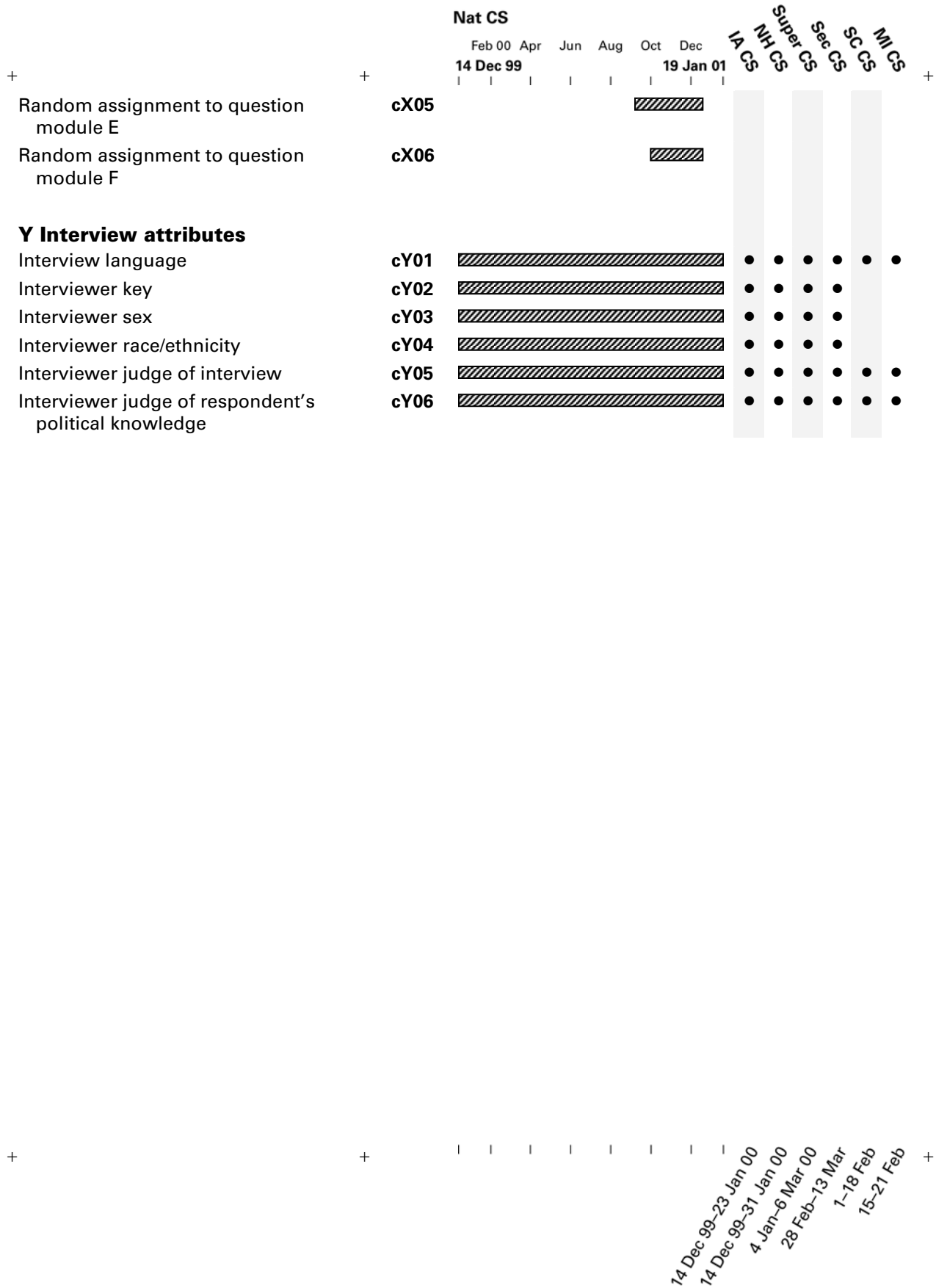
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	IA CS	NH CS	Super CS	Super Reint
	IA Reint	NH Reint		
+	+	+	+	+
Cares: Gore	cA12 ●	cA12 ●	cA12 ●	● rA12
Honest: Gore	cA13 ●	cA13 ●	cA13 ●	● rA13
Inspiring: Gore	cA14 ●	cA14 ●	cA14 ●	● rA14
Knowledgeable: Gore	cA15 ●	cA15 ●	cA15 ●	● rA15
Hypocritical: Gore	cA16 ○	cA16 ○	cA16 ○	○
Trustworthy: Gore			cA17 ○	● rA17
Gore conservative or liberal	cA19 ●	cA19 ●	cA19 ●	
One word: Gore	cA20 ●	cA20 ●	cA20 ●	● rA20
Evaluations of McCain				
Favorability: McCain	cA21 ●	cA21 ●	cA21 ●	● rA21
Cares: McCain	cA22 ●	cA22 ●	cA22 ●	● rA22
Honest: McCain	cA23 ●	cA23 ●	cA23 ●	● rA23
Inspiring: McCain	cA24 ●	cA24 ●	cA24 ●	● rA24
Knowledgeable: McCain	cA25 ●	cA25 ●	cA25 ●	● rA25
Hypocritical: McCain	cA26 ○	cA26 ○	cA26 ○	○
Trustworthy: McCain			cA27 ○	● rA27
McCain conservative or liberal	cA28 ●	cA28 ●	cA28 ●	
One word: McCain	cA29 ●	cA29 ●	cA29 ●	● rA29
Evaluations of Bradley				
Favorability: Bradley	cA30 ●	cA30 ●	cA30 ●	● rA30
Cares: Bradley	cA31 ●	cA31 ●	cA31 ●	● rA31
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	26 Jan– 17 Feb 00	2–27 Feb		

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	IA CS	IA Reint	NH CS	NH Reint	Super CS	Super Reint
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Honest: Bradley	cA32 ●	○ rA32	cA32 ●	● rA32	cA32 ●	● rA32
Inspiring: Bradley	cA33 ●	○ rA33	cA33 ●	● rA33	cA33 ●	● rA33
Knowledgeable: Bradley	cA34 ●	○ rA34	cA34 ●	● rA34	cA34 ●	● rA34
Hypocritical: Bradley	cA35 ○	○ rA35	cA35 ○	● rA35	cA35 ○	
Trustworthy: Bradley					cA36 ○	● rA36
Bradley conservative or liberal	cA37 ●		cA37 ●		cA37 ●	
One word: Bradley	cA38 ●	● rA38	cA38 ●	● rA38	cA38 ●	
Evaluations of Forbes						
Favorability: Forbes	cA39 ●	● rA39	cA39 ●	● rA39	cA39 ●	● rA39
Cares: Forbes	cA40 ○		cA40 ○		cA40 ○	
Honest: Forbes	cA41 ○		cA41 ○		cA41 ○	
Inspiring: Forbes	cA42 ○		cA42 ○		cA42 ○	
Knowledgeable: Forbes	cA43 ○		cA43 ○		cA43 ○	
Forbes conservative or liberal	cA44 ○		cA44 ○		cA44 ○	
Evaluations of Buchanan						
Favorability: Buchanan	cA45 ●		cA45 ●		cA45 ●	
One word: Buchanan	cA46 ●		cA46 ●		cA46 ●	
Evaluations of other presidential candidates						
Favorability: Keyes	cA50 ●		cA50 ●		cA50 ●	
Favorability: Bauer	cA51 ●		cA51 ●		cA51 ○	
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Evaluations of other political figures										
Favorability: Bill Clinton		cA52	●		cA52	●		cA52	●	
Favorability: Perot		cA53	●		cA53	●		cA53	●	
Favorability: Trump		cA54	●		cA54	●		cA54	●	
Favorability: Robertson								cA55	○	● rA55
B Policy issues										
Most important problem		cB01	●	● rB01	cB01	●	● rB01	cB01	●	● rB01
BA Economy										
Minimum wage amount		cBA10	○		cBA10	○		cBA10	○	
Inflation rate in first eight months of 1999		cBA11	○		cBA11	○		cBA11	○	
US trade deficit in first half of 1999 higher than in 1998		cBA12	○		cBA12	○		cBA12	○	
BB Taxes, in general										
Tax rates a problem		cBB01	●		cBB01	●		cBB01	●	
Bush or McCain would cut taxes more		cBB02	○	● rBB02	cBB02	○	● rBB02	cBB02	○	● rBB02
BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax										
Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes		cBB10	●	● rBB10	cBB10	●	● rBB10	cBB10	●	● rBB10
BB Taxes, flat tax										
Federal government should adopt flat tax		cBB13	●	● rBB13	cBB13	●	● rBB13	cBB13	●	● rBB13
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors flat income tax		cBB14	●	● rBB14	cBB14	●	● rBB14	cBB14	●	● rBB14
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	IA CS IA Reint	NH CS NH Reint	Super CS Super Reint
	+	+	+
BB Taxes, ethanol tax breaks			
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors ethanol tax breaks	cBB15 ●	cBB15 ●	cBB15 ●
Annual cost of ethanol tax breaks	cBB16 ○	cBB16 ○	cBB16 ○
BB Taxes, other			
Gore or Bradley voted for 1981 tax cuts	cBB17 ●	cBB17 ●	cBB17 ●
Most common federal income tax bracket	cBB19 ●	cBB19 ●	cBB19 ●
BC Social Security, in general			
Federal government should spend on Social Security	cBC01 ●	cBC01 ●	cBC01 ●
Bush or McCain would spend more on Social Security	cBC02 ○	cBC02 ○	cBC02 ○
BC Social Security, other			
Bush, McCain or Forbes favors raising Social Security eligibility age	cBC10 ○	cBC10 ○	cBC10 ○
BD Education, school vouchers			
Federal government should give school vouchers	cBD02 ●	cBD02 ●	cBD02 ●
Bush, McCain or Forbes favors school vouchers	cBD03 ○	cBD03 ○	cBD03 ○
Gore or Bradley favors school vouchers	cBD04 ●	cBD04 ●	cBD04 ●
BD Education, other			
Federal government should spend on spending on schools	cBD09 ●	cBD09 ●	cBD09 ●
Gore or Bradley favors savings accounts for college	cBD10 ○	cBD10 ○	cBD10 ○
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	IA CS	NH CS	Super CS
	IA Reint	NH Reint	Super Reint
+	+	+	+
Bush or McCain opposes abortion except for rape, mother's health	cBF05 •	cBF05 •	cBF04 ○
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) would nominate only anti-abortion Supreme Court justices	• rBF05	• rBF05	• rBF05
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors anti-abortion constitutional amendment		• rBF06	• rBF06
Bush, McCain or Forbes would prioritize anti-abortion constitutional amendment	cBF07 ○	cBF07 ○	cBF07 ○
Gore or Bradley favors right to choose abortion	cBF08 ○	cBF08 ○	cBF08 ○
Pregnancies aborted annually in US	cBF12 ○	cBF12 ○	cBF12 ○
BG Crime, gun control			
Federal government should expend effort to restrict gun purchases	cBG06 •	cBG06 •	cBG06 •
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors instant checks at gun shows	cBG07 •	cBG07 •	cBG07 •
BG Crime, other			
Underpunished criminals a problem	cBG12 •	cBG12 •	cBG12 •
Drug use a problem	cBG13 •	cBG13 •	cBG13 •
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban			
Federal government should limit contributions to parties	cBH01 •	cBH01 •	cBH01 •
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors soft money ban	cBH03 •	cBH03 •	cBH03 •
BH Money in politics, public campaign financing			
Federal government should spend on public campaign financing	cBH07 •	cBH07 •	cBH07 •
+	+	+	+
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	IA CS	NH CS	Super CS
	IA Reint	NH Reint	Super Reint
	+	+	+
BJ National defense, other			
Bush, McCain or Forbes favors stopping Russian aid to protest Chechnya	cBJ10 ○	cBJ10 ○	cBJ10 ○
BK Immigration			
Immigration a problem	cBK01 ●	cBK01 ●	cBK01 ●
Legal immigrants to US annually	cBK02 ○	cBK02 ○	cBK02 ○
BL Gay rights, other			
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against gays	cBL05 ●	cBL05 ●	cBL05 ●
Bush, McCain or Forbes favors same-sex marriage	cBL06 ○	cBL06 ○	cBL06 ○
BM Other civil rights			
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against blacks	cBM01 ●	cBM01 ●	cBM01 ●
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02 ●	cBM02 ●	cBM02 ●
BP Poverty			
Poverty a problem	cBP01 ●	cBP01 ●	cBP01 ●
Federal government should reduce income differences	cBP02 ●	cBP02 ●	cBP02 ●
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03 ●	cBP03 ●	cBP03 ●
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	+	+	+
BQ Elian Gonzalez			
Aware of Elian Gonzalez	cBQ01 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ01	cBQ01 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ01	cBQ01 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Preferred outcome for Elian Gonzalez	cBQ02 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ02	cBQ02 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ02	cBQ02 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Bush playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests	cBQ03 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ03	cBQ03 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ03	cBQ03 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Gore playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests	cBQ04 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ04	cBQ04 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ04	cBQ04 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
McCain playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests	cBQ05 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ05	cBQ05 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ05	cBQ05 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Bradley playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests	cBQ06 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ06	cBQ06 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBQ06	cBQ06 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
BR SC Confederate flag			
SC Confederate flag should stay	cBR01 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBR01	cBR01 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBR01	cBR01 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) says South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag	cBR02 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBR02	cBR02 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBR02	cBR02 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) really believes South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag	cBR03 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBR03	cBR03 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> rBR03	cBR03 <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
BS Environment			
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01 <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> rBS01	cBS01 <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> rBS01	cBS01 <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> rBS01
BS Environment, questioning unique to reinterviews			
Bush believes federal government should expend effort to protect environment			<input checked="" type="radio"/> rBS02
	+	+	+
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	IA Reint	NH Reint	Super Reint
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Gore believes federal government should expend effort to protect environment			● rBS03
McCain believes federal government should expend effort to protect environment			● rBS04
BT Other			
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01 ● ● rBT01	cBT01 ● ● rBT01	cBT01 ● ● rBT01
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02 ● ● rBT02	cBT02 ● ● rBT02	● rBT02
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03 ● ● rBT03	cBT03 ● ● rBT03	● rBT03
Bush or McCain opposed breast cancer research funding			● rBT04
BT Other, questioning unique to reinterviews			
Gore or Bradley did more for farmers as senators	● rBT05		
Clinton administration ignored farm crisis	● rBT06		
C Evaluations of groups			
Favorability: labor unions	cC01 ● ● rC01	cC01 ● ● rC01	● rC01
Favorability: corporations	cC02 ● ● rC02	cC02 ● ● rC02	● rC02
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04 ● ● rC04	cC04 ● ● rC04	● rC04
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05 ● ● rC05	cC05 ● ● rC05	● rC05
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06 ● ● rC06	cC06 ● ● rC06	● rC06
+	+	+	+
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	IA CS	IA Reint	NH CS	NH Reint	Super CS
					Super Reint
D Candidates' biographies Biography: Bush, McCain, Forbes Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is governor Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is senator Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is businessman Bush, McCain (or Forbes) was Vietnam POW Bush or McCain spoke at Bob Jones University	cD01	•	•	rD01	•
	cD02	•	•	rD02	•
	cD03	•	•	rD03	•
	cD04	•	•	rD04	•
					•
Biography: Gore, Bradley Gore or Bradley was senator Gore or Bradley is son of former senator Gore or Bradley played basketball Gore or Bradley served in Vietnam	cD06	•	•	rD06	•
	cD07	•	•	rD07	•
	cD08	•	•	rD08	•
	cD09	•	•	rD09	•
					•
E Media use Network TV and cable Watched network TV news in past week Watched cable news in past week Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week Paid attention to network TV news about presidential campaign in primary campaign	cE01	•	•	cE01	•
	cE02	•	•	cE02	•
			○	cE03	○
					•
					•
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	+	+	+	+	+
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+	+	+	+
Paid attention to cable news about presidential campaign in primary campaign	rE03b	rE03b	rE03b
Local TV			
Watched local TV news in past week	cE06	cE06	cE06
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week		cE07	cE07
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in primary campaign	rE07a	rE07a	rE07a
Other TV			
Have cable or satellite TV in home			cE12
Newspapers			
Read newspaper in past week	cE13	cE13	cE13
Newspaper read most in past week	cE14	cE14	cE14
Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in past week		cE15	cE15
Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in primary campaign	rE15a	rE15a	rE15a
Talk radio			
Listened to talk radio in past week	cE18	cE18	cE18
Paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in primary campaign	rE18a	rE18a	rE18a
Talk radio hosts listened to in past week	cE19	cE19	cE19
+	+	+	+
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+	+	+	+
Watched 17 Dec 99 Gore-Bradley appearance on Nightline	cF08 ○	cF08 ○	
Aware of 5 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH	cF09 ○	cF09 ○	cF09 ○
Watched 5 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH	cF10 ○	cF10 ○	cF10 ○
Aware of 6 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF11 ○	cF11 ○	cF11 ○
Watched 6 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF12 ○	cF12 ○	cF12 ○
Aware of 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC	cF13 ○	cF13 ○	cF13 ○
Watched 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC	cF14 ○	cF14 ○	cF14 ○
Aware of 8 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF15 ○	cF15 ○	cF15 ○
Watched 8 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF16 ○	cF16 ○	cF16 ○
Aware of 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI	cF17 ○	cF17 ○	cF17 ○
Watched 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI	cF18 ○	cF18 ○	cF18 ○
Aware of 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA	cF19 ○	cF19 ○	cF19 ○
Watched 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA	cF20 ○	cF20 ○	cF20 ○
Aware of 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF21 ○	cF21 ○	cF21 ○
Watched 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF22 ○	cF22 ○	cF22 ○
Aware of 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH		cF23 ○	cF23 ○
Watched 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH		cF24 ○	cF24 ○
Aware of 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH		cF25 ○	cF25 ○
Watched 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH		cF26 ○	cF26 ○
Aware of 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC			cF27 ○
Watched 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC			cF28 ○
Aware of 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY			cF29 ○
+	+	+	+
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+	Subject of ad about opposing breast cancer research Sponsor of ad about opposing breast cancer research McCain favorability hurt by ad about opposing breast cancer research	IA pre-post presidential primary election panel	NH pre-post presidential primary election panel	Super Tuesday states pre-post presidential primary election panel	+	IA CS	IA Reint	+	NH CS	NH Reint	+	Super CS	Super Reint	+
+	J Contact with presidential campaigns Contacted by campaign Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in primary campaign	cJ01	cJ01	cJ01	cJ01	rJ01a	rJ01a	rJ01a	rJ01a	rJ01a	rJ01a	cJ01	cJ01	rJ01a
+	Contacted by group other than campaign Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in primary campaign	cJ05	cJ05	cJ05	cJ05	rJ05a	rJ05a	rJ05a	rJ05a	rJ05a	rJ05a	cJ05	cJ05	rJ05a
+	Received brochures Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign Received brochures about presidential campaign in primary campaign	cJ09	cJ09	cJ09	cJ09	rJ09a	rJ09a	rJ09a	rJ09a	rJ09a	rJ09a	cJ09	cJ09	rJ09a
+	Attended meeting with presidential candidate Attended meeting with presidential candidate in campaign	cJ13	cJ13	cJ13	cJ13	rJ13a	rJ13a	rJ13a	rJ13a	rJ13a	rJ13a	cJ13	cJ13	rJ13a

+ Attended meeting with presidential candidate in primary campaign	IA pre-post presidential primary election panel		NH pre-post presidential primary election panel		Super Tuesday states pre-post presidential primary election panel	
	CS	IA Reint	CS	NH Reint	CS	Super Reint
	+	+	+	+	+	+
Personally met presidential candidate		● rJ13a		● rJ13a		● rJ13a
	cJ15 ●		cJ15 ●		cJ15 ●	
		● rJ15a		● rJ15a		● rJ15a
K Political participation						
Interest in politics						
Interested in government	cK01 ●	● rK01	cK01 ●	● rK01	cK01 ●	● rK01
Interested in 2000 political campaigns	cK02 ○	● rK02	cK02 ○	● rK02	cK02 ○	● rK02
Care which party wins presidential election	cK04 ●		cK04 ●		cK04 ●	
Discussed politics with family or friends						
Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05 ●		cK05 ●		cK05 ●	
Discussed politics with family or friends in presidential primary campaign		● rK05a		● rK05a		● rK05a
Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week	cK07 ●		cK07 ●		cK07 ●	
Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in presidential primary campaign		● rK07a		● rK07a		● rK07a
Discussed politics at work or online						
Discussed politics at work or online in past week	cK09 ●		cK09 ●		cK09 ●	
+ Discussed politics at work or online in past week		14 Dec 99–23 Jan 00		2–27 Feb		4 Jan–6 Mar 00
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	IA CS + IA Reint	NH CS + NH Reint	Super CS + Super Reint
	rK09a	rK09a	rK09a
Discussed politics at work or online in presidential primary campaign			
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week	cK11	cK11	cK11
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in presidential primary campaign	rK11a	rK11a	rK11a
Advocated voting			
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13	cK13	cK13
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in primary campaign	rK13a	rK13a	rK13a
Attending meeting for presidential candidate			
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16	cK16	cK16
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in primary campaign	rK16a	rK16a	rK16a
Did other work			
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19	cK19	cK19
Did other work for presidential candidate in primary campaign	rK19a	rK19a	rK19a
Gave money			
Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	cK22	cK22	cK22
Gave money to presidential candidate in primary campaign	rK22a	rK22a	rK22a
Displayed sign			
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25	cK25	cK25
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		IA CS		NH CS		Super CS	
		IA Reint		NH Reint		Super Reint	
Random assignment							
Random assignment to N04 or N05		cNZ01 •	• rNZ01	cNZ01 •	• rNZ01	cNZ01 •	
Random assignment to N06 or N07		cNZ02 •	• rNZ02	cNZ02 •	• rNZ02	cNZ02 •	• rNZ02
Random assignment to N08 or N09		cNZ03 •	• rNZ03	cNZ03 •	• rNZ03	cNZ03 •	• rNZ03
Random assignment to N10 or N11		cNZ04 •	• rNZ04	cNZ04 •	• rNZ04	cNZ04 •	
Random assignment to N12 or N13		cNZ05 •	• rNZ05	cNZ05 •	• rNZ05	cNZ05 •	
P Presidential candidate endorsements							
Primary presidential endorsements							
Grassley endorsement for presidential primary		cP01 ○	• rP01				
Wellstone endorsement for presidential primary		cP02 ○	• rP02				
Harkin endorsement for presidential primary		cP03 ○	• rP03				
Kennedy endorsement for presidential primary				cP04 ○	• rP04		
Moynihan endorsement for presidential primary				cP05 ○	• rP05		
Manchester Union-Leader endorsement for presidential primary				cP06 ○	• rP06		
NARAL endorsement for presidential primary						cP07 ○	• rP07
NRLC endorsement for presidential primary						cP08 ○	• rP08
Bauer endorsement for presidential primary						cP09 ○	• rP09
Concord Monitor endorsements for presidential primary				cP10 ○	• rP10		
NH newspaper endorsements more for Gore or Bradley				cP11 ○	• rP11		
NH newspaper endorsements more for Bush or McCain				cP12 ○			
NH newspaper endorsements mostly for Bush, McCain or Forbes					• rP12a		
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	IA CS IA Reint	NH CS NH Reint	Super CS Super Reint
+	+	+	+
Know where to vote in neighborhood	cR44 •	cR44 •	cR44 •
Voted in current election district	cR45 •	cR45 •	cR45 •
Gender in politics			
More likely to vote for GOP president if ran with Dole	cR52 •	cR52 •	cR52 •
Male or female president better at most important issue	cR55 •	cR55 ○	cR55 ○
Questioning unique to reinterviews			
Registered Republican or Democrat for presidential primary			• rR56
Random order			
Random response order for R23	cRZ02 •	cRZ02 •	cRZ02 •
Random response order for R24	cRZ03 •	cRZ03 •	cRZ03 •
Random response order for R25	cRZ04 •	cRZ04 •	cRZ04 •
Random response order for R26	cRZ05 •	cRZ05 •	cRZ05 •
U US House and Senate			
Congressional district	⊗ cU01 •	cU01 •	cU01 •
Congressional primary election status	cU02 •	cU02 •	cU02 •
V Political orientation			
Party ID	cV01 •	cV01 •	cV01 •
Party ID strong	cV02 •	cV02 •	cV02 •
Lean Republican or Democratic	cV03 •	cV03 •	cV03 •
+	+	+	+
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		IA Reint		NH Reint		Super Reint	
		IA CS		NH CS		Super CS	
		cV04		cV04		cV04	
		cW01		cW01		cW01	
		cW02		cW02		cW02	
		cW03		cW03		cW03	
		cW04		cW04		cW04	
		cW05		cW05		cW05	
		cW06		cW06		cW06	
		cW07		cW07		cW07	
		cW08		cW08		cW08	
		cW09		cW09		cW09	
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		cW12		cW12		cW12	
		cW13		cW13		cW13	
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		cW17		cW17		cW17	
		cW18		cW18		cW18	
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		+		+		+	
Conservative or liberal	+						
W Demographics							
Individual demographics							
Sex							
Age							
Race							
Of Hispanic or Spanish origin							
Hispanic or Spanish origin							
Education							
US citizen							
Marital status							
Employment status							
Employed student							
Occupation							
Self-employed							
Work for government							
Attend religious services							
Affiliated with religion							
Religious affiliation							
Born-again Christian							
Years at current address							
	+						

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	SC pre-post Republican presidential primary election panel						MI pre-post Republican presidential primary election panel					
	+ SC CS			SC Reint			+ MI CS			MI Reint		
O Sampling												
Interview point	cINT	●	●	rINT			cINT	●	●	rINT		
Respondent key	cKEY	●	●	rKEY			cKEY	●	●	rKEY		
Date of interview (local to respondent)	cDATE	●	●	rDATE			cDATE	●	●	rDATE		
Area code	⊗ cAC	●					cAC	●				
State	cST	●	●	rST			cST	●	●	rST		
A Evaluations of candidates and political figures												
Evaluations of Bush												
Favorability: Bush	cA01	●	●	rA01			cA01	●	●	rA01		
Cares: Bush	cA02	●	●	rA02			cA02	●	●	rA02		
Honest: Bush	cA03	●	●	rA03			cA03	●	●	rA03		
Inspiring: Bush	cA04	●	●	rA04			cA04	●	●	rA04		
Knowledgeable: Bush	cA05	●	●	rA05			cA05	●	●	rA05		
Hypocritical: Bush	cA06	○										
Trustworthy: Bush	cA07	○	●	rA07			cA07	●	●	rA07		
Bush conservative or liberal	cA09	●	●	rA09			cA09	●	●	rA09		
One word: Bush	cA10	●	●	rA10			cA10	●	●	rA10		
Evaluations of Gore												
Favorability: Gore	cA11	●	●	rA11			cA11	●	●	rA11		
Evaluations of McCain												
Favorability: McCain	cA21	●	●	rA21			cA21	●	●	rA21		
Cares: McCain	cA22	●	●	rA22			cA22	●	●	rA22		
Honest: McCain	cA23	●	●	rA23			cA23	●	●	rA23		
Inspiring: McCain	cA24	●	●	rA24			cA24	●	●	rA24		
Knowledgeable: McCain	cA25	●	●	rA25			cA25	●	●	rA25		
Hypocritical: McCain	cA26	○										
Trustworthy: McCain	cA27	○	●	rA27			cA27	●	●	rA27		
McCain conservative or liberal	cA28	●	●	rA28			cA28	●	●	rA28		
One word: McCain	cA29	●	●	rA29			cA29	●	●	rA29		
Evaluations of Bradley												
Favorability: Bradley	cA30	●	●	rA30			cA30	●	●	rA30		
Evaluations of Forbes												
Favorability: Forbes	cA39	●	●	rA39			cA39	●	●	rA39		
	+ 1–18 Feb			8 Mar 23 Feb–			+ 15–21 Feb			8 Mar 24 Feb–		
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		SC CS	SC Reint		MI CS	MI Reint	
	+			+			+
Evaluations of other presidential candidates							
Favorability: Keyes		cA50 ●	● rA50		cA50 ●	● rA50	
Favorability: Bauer		cA51 ○					
Evaluations of other political figures							
Favorability: Bill Clinton		cA52 ●	● rA52		cA52 ●	● rA52	
Questioning unique to reinterviews							
Bush or McCain true reformer			● rA58			● rA58	
Anxious: Bush			● rA59			● rA59	
Enthusiastic: Bush			● rA60			● rA60	
Anxious: McCain			● rA61			● rA61	
Enthusiastic: McCain			● rA62			● rA62	
B Policy issues							
Most important problem		cB01 ●	● rB01		cB01 ●	● rB01	
BB Taxes, in general							
Tax rates a problem		cBB01 ●			cBB01 ●		
Bush or McCain would cut taxes more		cBB02 ●	● rBB02		cBB02 ●	● rBB02	
BB Taxes, flat tax							
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors flat income tax		cBB14 ●	● rBB14			● rBB14	
BB Taxes, ethanol tax breaks							
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors ethanol tax breaks		cBB15 ●	● rBB15		cBB15 ●	● rBB15	
BB Taxes, other							
Most common federal income tax bracket		cBB19 ●			cBB19 ●		
BB Taxes, questioning unique to reinterviews							
Aware of claim that McCain proposed largest tax increase in US history			● rBB20			● rBB20	
Believe McCain proposed largest tax increase in US history			● rBB21			● rBB21	
Aware of claim that McCain wants to raise charity taxes 20%			● rBB22			● rBB22	
Believe McCain wants to raise charity taxes 20%			● rBB23			● rBB23	
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BC Social Security, in general					
Federal government should spend on Social Security	cBC01 •		cBC01 •		
Bush or McCain would spend more on Social Security	cBC02 •	• rBC02	cBC02 •	• rBC02	
BD Education, school vouchers					
Federal government should give school vouchers	cBD02 •		cBD02 •		
BE Health insurance, in general					
Federal government should spend on health care for uninsured	cBE02 •		cBE02 •		
BF Abortion, in general					
Federal government should restrict abortion	cBF02 •		cBF02 •		
Bush or McCain opposes abortion except for rape, mother's health	cBF04 ○	• rBF04	cBF04 •	• rBF04	
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) would nominate only anti-abortion Supreme Court justices	cBF05 •	• rBF05	cBF05 •	• rBF05	
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors anti-abortion constitutional amendment	cBF06 ○	• rBF06	cBF06 •	• rBF06	
BF Abortion, questioning unique to reinterviews					
Aware of claim that McCain supports public financing of experiments on abortuses		• rBF15		• rBF15	
Believe McCain supports public financing of experiments on abortuses		• rBF16		• rBF16	
BG Crime, gun control					
Federal government should expend effort to restrict gun purchases	cBG06 •		cBG06 •		
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors instant checks at gun shows	cBG07 •	• rBG07	cBG07 •	• rBG07	
BG Crime, other					
Underpunished criminals a problem	cBG12 •		cBG12 •		
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban					
Federal government should limit contributions to parties	cBH01 •		cBH01 •		
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors soft money ban	cBH03 •	• rBH03	cBH03 •	• rBH03	
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BH Money in politics, other					
Bush or McCain better at fighting special interests	cBH09 ○	● rBH09	cBH09 ○	● rBH09	
BH Money in politics, questioning unique to reinterviews					
Aware of claim that McCain wants public financing of campaigns		● rBH10		● rBH10	
Believe McCain wants public financing of campaigns		● rBH11		● rBH11	
BJ National defense, in general					
Presidential candidate best prepared to be commander-in-chief	cBJ01 ○	● rBJ01	cBJ01 ●	● rBJ01	
BJ National defense, scope of military					
Federal government should spend on military	cBJ07 ●		cBJ07 ●		
BL Gay rights, other					
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against gays	cBL05 ●		cBL05 ●		
BM Other civil rights					
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against blacks	cBM01 ●		cBM01 ●		
BP Poverty					
Poverty a problem	cBP01 ●		cBP01 ●		
BQ Elian Gonzalez					
Aware of Elian Gonzalez	cBQ01 ●		cBQ01 ●		
Preferred outcome for Elian Gonzalez	cBQ02 ●		cBQ02 ●		
Bush playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests	cBQ03 ○				
McCain playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests	cBQ05 ○				
BR SC Confederate flag					
SC Confederate flag should stay	cBR01 ●	● rBR01	cBR01 ●	● rBR01	
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) says South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag	cBR02 ●	● rBR02		● rBR02	
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) really believes South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag	cBR03 ●	● rBR03		● rBR03	
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C Evaluations of groups					
Favorability: labor unions	cC01	•	cC01	•	
Favorability: corporations	cC02	•	cC02	•	
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04	•	cC04	•	
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05	•	cC05	•	
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06	•	cC06	•	
Favorability: whites	cC08	•	cC08	•	
Favorability: blacks	cC09	•	cC09	•	
D Candidates' biographies					
Biography: Bush, McCain, Forbes					
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is governor	cD01	• •	rD01	cD01	• •
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is senator	cD02	• •	rD02	cD02	• •
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is businessman	cD03	• •	rD03		• rD03
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) was Vietnam POW	cD04	• •	rD04	cD04	• •
E Media use					
Network TV and cable					
Watched network TV news in past week	cE01	•	cE01	•	
Watched cable news in past week	cE02	•	cE02	•	
Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week	cE03	•	cE03	•	
Paid attention to network TV news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign		•	rE03c		• rE03c
Paid attention to cable news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign		•	rE03d		• rE03d
Local TV					
Watched local TV news in past week	cE06	•	cE06	•	
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week	cE07	•	cE07	•	
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign		•	rE07b		• rE07b
Other TV					
Have cable or satellite TV in home	cE12	○	cE12	•	

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Newspapers								
Read newspaper in past week	cE13	•			cE13	•		
Newspaper read most in past week	cE14	•			cE14	•		
Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in past week	cE15	•			cE15	•		
Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign			•	rE15b			•	rE15b
Talk radio								
Listened to talk radio in past week	cE18	•			cE18	•		
Paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign			•	rE18b			•	rE18b
Talk radio hosts listened to in past week	cE19	•			cE19	•		
Talk radio hosts listened to for news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign			•	rE19b			•	rE19b
Online information								
Have online access	cE20	•	•	rE20	cE20	•	•	rE20
Saw online information about presidential campaign in past week	cE21	•			cE21	•		
Paid attention to online information about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign			•	rE21b			•	rE21b
Questioning unique to reinterviews								
Paid attention to Christian radio news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign			•	rE25			•	rE25
F Debates								
Presidential primary debates generally								
Aware of any presidential primary debates	cF01	•	•	rF01	cF01	•	•	rF01
Watched any presidential primary debates	cF02	•			cF02	•		
Watched any GOP presidential primary debates			•	rF02a			•	rF02a
Specific presidential primary debates								
Aware of 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC	cF13	○						
	+				+			+
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Watched 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC	cF14	○			
Aware of 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI			cF17	●	
Watched 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI			cF18	●	
Aware of 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC	cF27	○	cF27	○	
Watched 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC	cF28	○	cF28	○	
H Advertising, TV appearances and speeches					
Specific ads					
Aware of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes	cH08	○			
Sponsor of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes	cH09	○			
Believe Bush broke promise on sales taxes	cH10	○			
Aware of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history	cH11	○			
Sponsor of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history	cH12	○			
Believe Bush signed biggest tax cut in Texas history	cH13	○			
J Contact with presidential campaigns					
Contacted by campaign					
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in past week	cJ02	●	cJ02	●	
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign		● rJ02a		● rJ02a	
Contacted by group other than campaign					
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in past week	cJ06	●	cJ06	●	
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign		● rJ06a		● rJ06a	
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	SC CS	SC Reint	MI CS	MI Reint	
Received brochures					
Received brochures about presidential campaign in past week	cJ10	•	cJ10	•	
Received brochures about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign		• rJ10a		• rJ10a	
Attended meeting with presidential candidate					
Attended meeting with presidential candidate in past week	cJ14	•	cJ14	•	
Attended meeting with presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		• rJ14a		• rJ14a	
Personally met presidential candidate					
Personally met presidential candidate in past week	cJ16	•	cJ16	•	
Personally met presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		• rJ16a		• rJ16a	
Questioning unique to reinterviews					
Received negative phone calls about Bush in GOP primary campaign		• rJ17		• rJ17	
Received negative phone calls about McCain in GOP primary campaign		• rJ18		• rJ18	
Received negative email about Bush in GOP primary campaign		• rJ19		• rJ19	
Received negative email about McCain in GOP primary campaign		• rJ20		• rJ20	
K Political participation					
Interest in politics					
Interested in government	cK01	• • rK01	cK01	• • rK01	
Interested in 2000 political campaigns	cK02	• • rK02	cK02	• • rK02	
Care which party wins presidential election	cK04	•	cK04	•	
Discussed politics with family or friends					
Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05	•	cK05	•	
Discussed politics with family or friends in GOP presidential primary campaign		• rK05b		• rK05b	
Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week	cK07	•	cK07	•	
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Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in GOP presidential primary campaign		● rK07b		● rK07b
Discussed politics at work or online				
Discussed politics at work or online in past week	cK09 ●		cK09 ●	
Discussed politics at work or online in GOP presidential primary campaign		● rK09b		● rK09b
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week	cK11 ●		cK11 ●	
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in GOP presidential primary campaign		● rK11b		● rK11b
Advocated voting				
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in past week	cK14 ●		cK14 ●	
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		● rK14a		● rK14a
Attending meeting for presidential candidate				
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in past week	cK17 ●		cK17 ●	
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		● rK17a		● rK17a
Did other work				
Did other work for presidential candidate in past week	cK20 ●		cK20 ●	
Did other work for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		● rK20a		● rK20a
Gave money				
Gave money to presidential candidate in past week	cK23 ●		cK23 ●	
Gave money to presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		● rK23a		● rK23a
Displayed sign				
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in past week	cK26 ●		cK26 ●	
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign		● rK26a		● rK26a
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L Evaluations of campaign discourse						
Questioning unique to reinterviews						
Bush ads against McCain fair			● rL11			● rL11
McCain ads against Bush fair			● rL12			● rL12
N Presidential candidate chances						
Likely winners of presidential primaries						
Bush will win primaries	cN01	●	● rN01	cN01	●	● rN01
McCain will win primaries	cN02	●	● rN02	cN02	●	● rN02
Likely winner of general presidential election						
Bush will beat Gore	cN06	●	● rN06	cN06	●	● rN06
Gore will beat Bush	cN07	●	● rN07	cN07	●	● rN07
McCain will beat Gore	cN08	●	● rN08	cN08	●	● rN08
Gore will beat McCain	cN09	●	● rN09	cN09	●	● rN09
Bush will beat Bradley	cN10	●	● rN10	cN10	●	● rN10
Bradley will beat Bush	cN11	●	● rN11	cN11	●	● rN11
McCain will beat Bradley	cN12	●	● rN12	cN12	●	● rN12
Bradley will beat McCain	cN13	●	● rN13	cN13	●	● rN13
Random assignment						
Random assignment to N06 or N07	cNZ02	●	● rNZ02	cNZ02	●	● rNZ02
Random assignment to N08 or N09	cNZ03	●	● rNZ03	cNZ03	●	● rNZ03
Random assignment to N10 or N11	cNZ04	●	● rNZ04	cNZ04	●	● rNZ04
Random assignment to N12 or N13	cNZ05	●	● rNZ05	cNZ05	●	● rNZ05
P Presidential candidate endorsements						
Primary presidential endorsements						
NARAL endorsement for presidential primary	cP07	○	● rP07	cP07	●	● rP07
NRLC endorsement for presidential primary	cP08	○	● rP08	cP08	●	● rP08
Bauer endorsement for presidential primary	cP09	○	● rP09	cP09	○	● rP09
Questioning unique to reinterviews						
Lindsay Graham endorsement for presidential primary			● rP24			
Thurmond endorsement for presidential primary			● rP25			
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	SC CS	SC Reint	MI CS	MI Reint	
+ SC governor endorsement for presidential primary		• rP26			
+ Endorsement for GOP presidential primary of newspaper read most in GOP primary campaign		• rP32		• rP32	
R Voting behavior and general attitudes					
Presidential primary election status	cR01	• • rR01	cR01	• • rR01	
Voter registration, pre-general election					
Registered to vote by interview	cR02	•	cR02	•	
Registered to vote for GOP presidential primary		• rR02b		• rR02b	
Intended presidential primary vote					
Intend to vote in presidential primary	cR07	•	cR07	•	
Intend to vote in GOP or Democratic presidential primary	cR09	•	cR09	•	
Following GOP or Democratic presidential primary more closely	cR10	•	cR10	•	
Intended ballot for GOP presidential nominee	cR11	•	cR11	•	
Intended ballot for Democratic presidential nominee	cR12	•	cR12	•	
Intend to early vote in presidential primary	cR13	•	cR13	•	
Intended method of early voting in presidential primary	cR14	•	cR14	•	
Actual presidential primary vote					
Voted in presidential primary	cR15	•	cR15	•	
Voted in GOP presidential primary		• rR15a		• rR15a	
Voted in GOP or Democratic presidential primary	cR16	•	cR16	•	
Ballot for GOP presidential nominee	cR17	• • rR17	cR17	• • rR17	
Ballot for Democratic presidential nominee	cR18	•	cR18	•	
Early voted in presidential primary	cR19	•	cR19	•	
Early voted in GOP presidential primary		• rR19a		• rR19a	
Method of early voting in presidential primary	cR20	•	cR20	•	
Method of early voting in GOP presidential primary		• rR20a		• rR20a	
Date early voted in presidential primary	cR21	•	cR21	•	
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	SC CS	SC Reint		MI CS	MI Reint	
+ Date early voted in GOP presidential primary		• rR21a			• rR21a	
+ Would change early vote for GOP presidential nominee		• rR22a			• rR22a	
Intended general election vote						
Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Gore	cR23	• • rR23		cR23	• • rR23	
Intended general election ballot, McCain vs. Gore	cR24	• • rR24		cR24	• • rR24	
Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Bradley	cR25	• • rR25		cR25	• • rR25	
Intended general election ballot, McCain vs. Bradley	cR26	• • rR26		cR26	• • rR26	
General voting behavior and attitudes						
Vote frequently	cR42	•		cR42	•	
Random order						
Random response order for R23	cRZ02	• • rRZ02		cRZ02	• • rRZ02	
Random response order for R24	cRZ03	• • rRZ03		cRZ03	• • rRZ03	
Random response order for R25	cRZ04	• • rRZ04		cRZ04	• • rRZ04	
Random response order for R26	cRZ05	• • rRZ05		cRZ05	• • rRZ05	
U US House and Senate						
Congressional primary election status	cU02	• • rU02		cU02	• • rU02	
V Political orientation						
Party ID	cV01	• • rV01		cV01	• • rV01	
Party ID strong	cV02	• • rV02		cV02	• • rV02	
Lean Republican or Democratic	cV03	• • rV03		cV03	• • rV03	
Conservative or liberal	cV04	• • rV04		cV04	• • rV04	
W Demographics						
Individual demographics						
Sex	cW01	•		cW01	•	
Age	cW02	•		cW02	•	
Race	cW03	•		cW03	•	
Of Hispanic or Spanish origin	cW04	•		cW04	•	
Hispanic or Spanish origin	cW05	•		cW05	•	
Education	cW06	•		cW06	•	
US citizen	cW07	•		cW07	•	
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Marital status		cW08 ●			cW08 ●		
Employment status		cW09 ●			cW09 ●		
Employed student		cW10 ●			cW10 ●		
Occupation		cW11 ●			cW11 ●		
Self-employed		cW12 ●			cW12 ●		
Work for government		cW13 ●			cW13 ●		
Attend religious services		cW14 ●			cW14 ●		
Affiliated with religion		cW15 ●			cW15 ●		
Religious affiliation		cW16 ●			cW16 ●		
Born-again Christian		cW17 ●			cW17 ●		
Years at current address		cW18 ●			cW18 ●		
Have health insurance		cW19 ●			cW19 ●		
Main health insurance is HMO		cW20 ●			cW20 ●		
Household demographics							
Census division		cW21 ●			cW21 ●		
Metropolitan statistical area	⊗	cW22 ●			cW22 ●		
County	⊗	cW23 ●			cW23 ●		
Urbanity		cW24 ●			cW24 ●		
Nielsen media market	⊗	cW25 ●			cW25 ●		
Adults in household		cW26 ●			cW26 ●		
Children in household		cW27 ●			cW27 ●		
Household income		cW28 ●			cW28 ●		
Labor union household		cW29 ●			cW29 ●		
Military household		cW30 ●			cW30 ●		
Voice lines in home		cW31 ●			cW31 ●		
Zip code (provided by respondent)	⊗	cW33 ●			cW33 ●		
Y Interview attributes							
Interview language		cY01 ●			cY01 ●		
Interviewer judge of interview		cY05 ●	● rY05		cY05 ●	● rY05	
Interviewer judge of respondent's political knowledge		cY06 ●	● rY06		cY06 ●	● rY06	
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		Nat CS	GOP Conv Reint		Nat CS	Dem Conv Reint		
0 Sampling								
Interview point	cINT	●	●	rINT	cINT	●	●	rINT
Respondent key	cKEY	●	●	rKEY	cKEY	●	●	rKEY
Date of interview (local to respondent)	cDATE	●	●	rDATE	cDATE	●	●	rDATE
Time of interview (ET)	cTIME	●	●	rTIME	cTIME	●	●	rTIME
Area code	⊗ cAC	●			cAC	●		
State	cST	●	●	rST	cST	●	●	rST
A Evaluations of candidates and political figures								
Evaluations of Bush								
Favorability: Bush	cA01	●	●	rA01	cA01	●	●	rA01
Cares: Bush	cA02	●	●	rA02	cA02	●	●	rA02
Honest: Bush	cA03	●	●	rA03	cA03	●	●	rA03
Inspiring: Bush	cA04	●	●	rA04	cA04	●	●	rA04
Knowledgeable: Bush	cA05	●	●	rA05	cA05	●	●	rA05
Hypocritical: Bush	cA06	●	●	rA06	cA06	●	●	rA06
Bush conservative or liberal	cA09	●	●	rA09	cA09	●	●	rA09
One word: Bush	cA10	○						
Evaluations of Gore								
Favorability: Gore	cA11	●	●	rA11	cA11	●	●	rA11
Cares: Gore	cA12	●	●	rA12	cA12	●	●	rA12
Honest: Gore	cA13	●	●	rA13	cA13	●	●	rA13
Inspiring: Gore	cA14	●	●	rA14	cA14	●	●	rA14
Knowledgeable: Gore	cA15	●	●	rA15	cA15	●	●	rA15
Hypocritical: Gore	cA16	●	●	rA16	cA16	●	●	rA16
Gore conservative or liberal	cA19	●	●	rA19	cA19	●	●	rA19
One word: Gore	cA20	○						
Evaluations of McCain								
Favorability: McCain	cA21	○	●	rA21	cA21	●	●	rA21
Evaluations of Bradley								
Favorability: Bradley	cA30	○	●	rA30	cA30	●	●	rA30
Evaluations of Buchanan								
Favorability: Buchanan	cA45	●	●	rA45	cA45	●	●	rA45
One word: Buchanan	cA46	○						
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	Nat CS		GOP Conv Reint		Nat CS		Dem Conv Reint	
Evaluations of Nader								
Favorability: Nader	cA47	●	●	rA47	cA47	●	●	rA47
Evaluations of vice presidential candidates								
Favorability: Cheney	cA48	○	●	rA48	cA48	●	●	rA48
Favorability: Lieberman			○	rA49	cA49	○	●	rA49
Evaluations of other political figures								
Favorability: Bill Clinton	cA52	●	●	rA52	cA52	●	●	rA52
Favorability: Perot	cA53	○						
Favorability: Robertson	cA55	●	●	rA55	cA55	●	●	rA55
Random order								
Random question order for candidate traits	cAZ01	●	●	rAZ01	cAZ01	●	●	rAZ01
B Policy issues								
Most important problem	cB01	●	●	rB01	cB01	●	●	rB01
BA Economy								
Economic conditions in US positive today	cBA01	●	●	rBA01	cBA01	●	●	rBA01
Personal economic condition positive today	cBA02	●	●	rBA02	cBA02	●	●	rBA02
Federal policies improved economic conditions in US over past year	cBA03	●	●	rBA03	cBA03	●	●	rBA03
Federal policies improved personal economic condition over past year	cBA04	●	●	rBA04	cBA04	●	●	rBA04
GOP or Democrats would better handle economy	cBA09	●	●	rBA09	cBA09	●	●	rBA09
BB Taxes, in general								
Tax rates a problem	cBB01	●	●	rBB01	cBB01	●	●	rBB01
Bush or Gore favors biggest tax cut	cBB03	●	●	rBB03	cBB03	●	●	rBB03
BB Taxes, tradeoffs								
Favor cutting taxes or strengthening Social Security	cBB05	●	●	rBB05	cBB05	●	●	rBB05
BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax								
Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes	cBB10	●	●	rBB10	cBB10	●	●	rBB10
BB Taxes, flat tax								
Federal government should adopt flat tax	cBB13	●	●	rBB13	cBB13	●	●	rBB13

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BC Social Security, in general								
Federal government should spend on Social Security	cBC01	●	●	rBC01	cBC01	●	●	rBC01
Bush or Gore favors biggest increase for Social Security	cBC03	●	●	rBC03	cBC03	●	●	rBC03
BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market								
Favor investing Social Security in stock market	cBC05	●	●	rBC05	cBC05	●	●	rBC05
Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC07	●	●	rBC07	cBC07	●	●	rBC07
Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC08	●	●	rBC08	cBC08	●	●	rBC08
Bush or Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC09	●	●	rBC09	cBC09	●	●	rBC09
BD Education, school vouchers								
Favor school vouchers	cBD01	●	●	rBD01	cBD01	●	●	rBD01
Federal government should give school vouchers	cBD02	●	●	rBD02	cBD02	●	●	rBD02
Bush favors school vouchers	cBD05	●	●	rBD05	cBD05	●	●	rBD05
Gore favors school vouchers	cBD06	●	●	rBD06	cBD06	●	●	rBD06
Bush or Gore favors school vouchers	cBD07	●	●	rBD07	cBD07	●	●	rBD07
BD Education, other								
Federal government should spend on spending on schools	cBD09	●	●	rBD09	cBD09	●	●	rBD09
BE Health insurance, in general								
Americans without health insurance a problem	cBE01	●	●	rBE01	cBE01	●	●	rBE01
Federal government should spend on health care for uninsured	cBE02	●	●	rBE02	cBE02	●	●	rBE02
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions								
Federal government should spend on Medicare	cBE04	●	●	rBE04	cBE04	●	●	rBE04
Position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE05	○	●	rBE05	cBE05	●	●	rBE05
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE06	○	●	rBE06	cBE06	●	●	rBE06
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+ Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE07	○ ●	rBE07	cBE07	● ●	rBE07
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children						
Favor universal health care for children	cBE08	● ●	rBE08	cBE08	● ●	rBE08
Bush favors universal health care for children	cBE09	● ●	rBE09	cBE09	● ●	rBE09
Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE10	● ●	rBE10	cBE10	● ●	rBE10
Bush or Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE11	● ●	rBE11	cBE11	● ●	rBE11
BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights						
Favor right to sue HMOs	cBE14	● ●	rBE14	cBE14	● ●	rBE14
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15	● ●	rBE15	cBE15	● ●	rBE15
Bush favors right to sue HMOs	cBE18	● ●	rBE18	cBE18	● ●	rBE18
Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE19	● ●	rBE19	cBE19	● ●	rBE19
Bush or Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE20	● ●	rBE20	cBE20	● ●	rBE20
BE Health insurance, other						
Federal government should spend on Medicaid	cBE21	● ●	rBE21	cBE21	● ●	rBE21
BF Abortion, in general						
Favor restricting abortion	cBF01	● ●	rBF01	cBF01	● ●	rBF01
Federal government should restrict abortion	cBF02	● ●	rBF02	cBF02	● ●	rBF02
Federal government should ban abortion	cBF03	● ●	rBF03	cBF03	● ●	rBF03
Bush favors restricting abortion	cBF09	● ●	rBF09	cBF09	● ●	rBF09
Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF10	● ●	rBF10	cBF10	● ●	rBF10
Bush or Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF11	● ●	rBF11	cBF11	● ●	rBF11
BG Crime, death penalty						
Favor death penalty	cBG01	● ●	rBG01	cBG01	● ●	rBG01
Bush favors death penalty	cBG02	● ●	rBG02	cBG02	● ●	rBG02
Gore favors death penalty	cBG03	● ●	rBG03	cBG03	● ●	rBG03
Bush or Gore favors death penalty	cBG04	● ●	rBG04	cBG04	● ●	rBG04
BG Crime, gun control						
Favor handgun licenses	cBG05	● ●	rBG05	cBG05	● ●	rBG05
Federal government should expend effort to restrict gun purchases	cBG06	● ●	rBG06	cBG06	● ●	rBG06
Bush favors handgun licenses	cBG08	● ●	rBG08	cBG08	● ●	rBG08
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Gore favors handgun licenses	cBG09	•	•	rBG09	cBG09	•	•	rBG09
Bush or Gore favors handgun licenses	cBG10	•	•	rBG10	cBG10	•	•	rBG10
Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law	cBG11	•	•	rBG11	cBG11	•	•	rBG11
BG Crime, other								
Underpunished criminals a problem	cBG12	•	•	rBG12	cBG12	•	•	rBG12
Drug use a problem	cBG13	•	•	rBG13	cBG13	•	•	rBG13
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban								
Federal government should limit contributions to parties	cBH01	•	•	rBH01	cBH01	•	•	rBH01
Favor soft money ban	cBH02	•	•	rBH02	cBH02	•	•	rBH02
Bush favors soft money ban	cBH04	•	•	rBH04	cBH04	•	•	rBH04
Gore favors soft money ban	cBH05	•	•	rBH05	cBH05	•	•	rBH05
Bush or Gore favors soft money ban	cBH06	•	•	rBH06	cBH06	•	•	rBH06
BH Money in politics, public campaign financing								
Federal government should spend on public campaign financing	cBH07	•	•	rBH07	cBH07	•	•	rBH07
BJ National defense, missile defense								
Federal government should spend on missile defense	cBJ03	•	•	rBJ03	cBJ03	•	•	rBJ03
BJ National defense, scope of military								
Federal government should spend on military	cBJ07	•	•	rBJ07	cBJ07	•	•	rBJ07
Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars	cBJ08	•	•	rBJ08	cBJ08	•	•	rBJ08
BK Immigration								
Immigration a problem	cBK01	•	•	rBK01	cBK01	•	•	rBK01
BL Gay rights, gays in military								
Favor gays in military	cBL01	•	•	rBL01	cBL01	•	•	rBL01
Bush favors gays in military	cBL02	•	•	rBL02	cBL02	•	•	rBL02
Gore favors gays in military	cBL03	•	•	rBL03	cBL03	•	•	rBL03
Bush or Gore favors gays in military	cBL04	•	•	rBL04	cBL04	•	•	rBL04
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BL Gay rights, other								
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against gays	cBL05	●	●	rBL05	cBL05	●	●	rBL05
BM Other civil rights								
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against blacks	cBM01	●	●	rBM01	cBM01	●	●	rBM01
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02	●	●	rBM02	cBM02	●	●	rBM02
BP Poverty								
Poverty a problem	cBP01	●	●	rBP01	cBP01	●	●	rBP01
Federal government should reduce income differences	cBP02	●	●	rBP02	cBP02	●	●	rBP02
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03	●	●	rBP03	cBP03	●	●	rBP03
BS Environment								
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01	●	●	rBS01	cBS01	●	●	rBS01
BT Other								
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01	●	●	rBT01	cBT01	●	●	rBT01
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02	●	●	rBT02	cBT02	●	●	rBT02
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03	●	●	rBT03	cBT03	●	●	rBT03
Random assignment and order								
Random assignment to question structure for Bush's and Gore's policy positions	cBZ01	●	●	rBZ01	cBZ01	●	●	rBZ01
C Evaluations of groups								
Favorability: labor unions	cC01	●	●	rC01	cC01	●	●	rC01
Favorability: corporations	cC02	●	●	rC02	cC02	●	●	rC02
Favorability: drug companies			●	rC03	cC03	●	●	rC03
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04	●	●	rC04	cC04	●	●	rC04
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05	●	●	rC05	cC05	●	●	rC05
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06	●	●	rC06	cC06	●	●	rC06
Favorability: NRA	cC07	●	●	rC07	cC07	●	●	rC07
Favorability: Protestants					cC10	○	●	rC10
Favorability: Catholics					cC11	○	●	rC11
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+ Favorability: Jews						cC12	o	• rC12
D Candidates' biographies								
Biography: Bush, Gore								
Bush or Gore is governor	cD10	•	•	rD10	cD10	•	•	rD10
Bush or Gore was senator	cD11	•	•	rD11	cD11	•	•	rD11
Bush or Gore is son of former senator	cD12	•	•	rD12	cD12	•	•	rD12
Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University	cD14	•	•	rD14	cD14	•	•	rD14
Bush or Gore is born-again Christian	cD15	•	•	rD15	cD15	•	•	rD15
Bush or Gore owned baseball team	cD16	•	•	rD16	cD16	•	•	rD16
E Media use								
Network TV and cable								
Watched network TV news in past week	cE01	•	•	rE01	cE01	•	•	rE01
Watched cable news in past week	cE02	•	•	rE02	cE02	•	•	rE02
Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week	cE03	•	•	rE03	cE03	•	•	rE03
Local TV								
Watched local TV news in past week	cE06	•	•	rE06	cE06	•	•	rE06
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week	cE07	•	•	rE07	cE07	•	•	rE07
Other TV								
Have cable or satellite TV in home	cE12	•			cE12	•		
Newspapers								
Read newspaper in past week	cE13	•	•	rE13	cE13	•	•	rE13
Newspaper read most in past week	cE14	•	•	rE14	cE14	•	•	rE14
Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in past week	cE15	•	•	rE15	cE15	•	•	rE15
Talk radio								
Listened to talk radio in past week	cE18	•	•	rE18	cE18	•	•	rE18
Talk radio hosts listened to in past week	cE19	•	•	rE19	cE19	•	•	rE19
Online information								
Have online access	cE20	•	•	rE20	cE20	•	•	rE20
Saw online information about presidential campaign in past week	cE21	•	•	rE21	cE21	•	•	rE21
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G Presidential nominating conventions					
GOP convention					
Watched GOP convention		● rG01	cG01	● ● rG01	
Watched Monday of GOP convention			cG02	○	
Watched Tuesday of GOP convention			cG03	○	
Watched Wednesday of GOP convention			cG04	○	
Watched Thursday of GOP convention			cG05	○	
Watched Laura Bush's GOP convention speech		● rG06	cG06	○	
Watched Colin Powell's GOP convention speech		● rG07	cG07	○	
Watched McCain's GOP convention speech		● rG08	cG08	○	
Watched Cheney's GOP convention speech		● rG09	cG09	○	
Watched Bush's GOP convention speech		● rG10	cG10	○	
Network watched most for GOP convention			cG11	○	
Democratic convention					
Watched Democratic convention				● rG12	
Watched Hillary Clinton's Democratic convention speech				● rG17	
Watched Bill Clinton's Democratic convention speech				● rG18	
Watched Bradley's Democratic convention speech				● rG19	
Watched Lieberman's Democratic convention speech				● rG20	
Watched Gore's Democratic convention speech				● rG21	
H Advertising, TV appearances and speeches					
Advertising generally					
Watched presidential campaign ads in past week	cH01	○			
Watched more ads for Bush or Gore in past week	cH02	○			
Bush or Gore talked about more in ads watched in past week	cH03	○			
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More positive or negative things about Bush in ads watched in past week	cH04	○					
More positive or negative things about Gore in ads watched in past week	cH05	○					
J Contact with presidential campaigns							
Contacted by campaign							
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01	●	● rJ01	cJ01	●	● rJ01	
Contacted by group other than campaign							
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05	●	● rJ05	cJ05	●	● rJ05	
Received brochures							
Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09	●	● rJ09	cJ09	●	● rJ09	
K Political participation							
Interest in politics							
Interested in government	cK01	●	● rK01	cK01	●	● rK01	
Interested in 2000 political campaigns	cK02	●	● rK02	cK02	●	● rK02	
Interested in presidential campaign	cK03	●	● rK03	cK03	●	● rK03	
Care which party wins presidential election	cK04	●	● rK04	cK04	●	● rK04	
Discussed politics with family or friends							
Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05	●	● rK05	cK05	●	● rK05	
Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week	cK07	●	● rK07	cK07	●	● rK07	
Discussed politics at work or online							
Discussed politics at work or online in past week	cK09	●	● rK09	cK09	●	● rK09	
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week	cK11	●	● rK11	cK11	●	● rK11	
Advocated voting							
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13	●	● rK13	cK13	●	● rK13	
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Attending meeting for presidential candidate								
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16	•	•	rK16	cK16	•	•	rK16
Did other work								
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19	•	•	rK19	cK19	•	•	rK19
Gave money								
Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	cK22	•	•	rK22	cK22	•	•	rK22
Displayed sign								
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25	•	•	rK25	cK25	•	•	rK25
Random assignment								
Random assignment to K02 or K03	cKZ01	•	•	rKZ01	cKZ01	•	•	rKZ01
L Evaluations of campaign discourse								
Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	•	•	rL01	cL01	•	•	rL01
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	•	•	rL03	cL03	•	•	rL03
Presidential candidates self-promoting	cL04	•	•	rL04	cL04	•	•	rL04
Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL10	•	•	rL10	cL10	•	•	rL10
M Orientation to government								
Trust federal government	cM01	•	•	rM01	cM01	•	•	rM01
Presidents keep campaign promises	cM10	•	•	rM10	cM10	•	•	rM10
People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates	cM15	•	•	rM15	cM15	•	•	rM15
People like me have no say over who is president	cM16	•	•	rM16	cM16	•	•	rM16
Presidential elections too complicated to understand	cM17	•	•	rM17	cM17	•	•	rM17
N Presidential candidate chances								
Likely winner of general presidential election								
Bush will beat Gore	cN06	•	•	rN06	cN06	•	•	rN06
Gore will beat Bush	cN07	•	•	rN07	cN07	•	•	rN07
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Vote for satisfaction or duty	cR50	○	●	rR50	cR50	●	●	rR50
Voting important responsibility	cR51	○	●	rR51	cR51	●	●	rR51
Gender in politics								
More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate	cR53	○						
More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate	cR54	●			cR54	○		
Random order								
Random question order for R23, R27	cRZ01	●	●	rRZ01	cRZ01	●	●	rRZ01
Random response order for R23	cRZ02	●	●	rRZ02	cRZ02	●	●	rRZ02
Random response order for R27	cRZ06	●	●	rRZ06	cRZ06	●	●	rRZ06
U US House and Senate								
Congressional district	⊗ cU01	●			cU01	●		
Congressional primary election status	cU02	●	●	rU02	cU02	●	●	rU02
US House								
Incumbent US representative running for re-election	cU03	●			cU03	●		
Party of incumbent US representative	cU04	●			cU04	●		
Open-ended recall: incumbent US representative	cU08	●			cU08	●		
Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US representative	cU09	●			cU09	●		
Favorability: incumbent candidate for US representative	cU10	●			cU10	●		
Favorability: retiring US representative	cU11	●			cU11	●		
Intended general election ballot for US representative	cU14	●	●	rU14	cU14	●	●	rU14
US Senate								
Incumbent US senator running for re-election	cU17	●	●	rU17	cU17	●	●	rU17
Party of incumbent candidate for US senator	cU18	●			cU18	●		
Open-ended recall: incumbent US senators	cU22	●			cU22	●		
Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US senator	cU23	●			cU23	●		
Favorability: incumbent candidate for US senator	cU24	●			cU24	●		
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+ Intended general election ballot for US senator	+ cU27	•	•	rU27	+ cU27	•	•	rU27
V Political orientation								
Party ID	cV01	•	•	rV01	cV01	•	•	rV01
Party ID strong	cV02	•	•	rV02	cV02	•	•	rV02
Lean Republican or Democratic	cV03	•	•	rV03	cV03	•	•	rV03
Conservative or liberal	cV04	•	•	rV04	cV04	•	•	rV04
W Demographics								
Individual demographics								
Sex	cW01	•			cW01	•		
Age	cW02	•			cW02	•		
Race	cW03	•			cW03	•		
Of Hispanic or Spanish origin	cW04	•			cW04	•		
Hispanic or Spanish origin	cW05	•			cW05	•		
Education	cW06	•			cW06	•		
US citizen	cW07	•			cW07	•		
Marital status	cW08	•			cW08	•		
Employment status	cW09	•			cW09	•		
Employed student	cW10	•			cW10	•		
Occupation	cW11	•			cW11	•		
Self-employed	cW12	•			cW12	•		
Work for government	cW13	•			cW13	•		
Attend religious services	cW14	•			cW14	•		
Affiliated with religion	cW15	•			cW15	•		
Religious affiliation	cW16	•			cW16	•		
Born-again Christian	cW17	•			cW17	•		
Years at current address	cW18	•			cW18	•		
Have health insurance	cW19	•			cW19	•		
Main health insurance is HMO	cW20	•			cW20	•		
Household demographics								
Census division	cW21	•			cW21	•		
Metropolitan statistical area	⊗ cW22	•			cW22	•		
County	⊗ cW23	•			cW23	•		
Urbanity	cW24	•			cW24	•		
Nielsen media market	⊗ cW25	•			cW25	•		
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Adults in household	cW26	●		cW26	●	
Children in household	cW27	●		cW27	●	
Household income	cW28	●		cW28	●	
Labor union household	cW29	●		cW29	●	
Military household	cW30	●		cW30	●	
Voice lines in home	cW31	●		cW31	●	
Zip code (estimated from phone)	⊗ cW32	●		cW32	●	
Zip code (provided by respondent)	⊗ cW33	●		cW33	●	
X Random assignment to question modules						
Random assignment to question module C	cX03	●		cX03	●	
Random assignment to question module D	cX04	●	● rX04	cX04	●	● rX04
Y Interview attributes						
Interview language	cY01	●		cY01	●	
Interviewer key	cY02	●	● rY02	cY02	●	● rY02
Interviewer sex	cY03	●	● rY03	cY03	●	● rY03
Interviewer race/ethnicity	cY04	●	● rY04	cY04	●	● rY04
Interviewer judge of interview	cY05	●	● rY05	cY05	●	● rY05
Interviewer judge of respondent's political knowledge	cY06	●	● rY06	cY06	●	● rY06
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Evaluations of vice presidential candidates					
Favorability: Cheney	cA48 • ● rA48	cA48 • ● rA48	cA48 • ● rA48	cA48 ○ cA49 ○ rA48	● rA48
Favorability: Lieberman	cA49 • ● rA49	cA49 • ● rA49	cA49 • ● rA49	cA49 ○ cA49 ○ rA49	● rA49
Evaluations of other political figures					
Favorability: Bill Clinton	cA52 • ● rA52	cA52 • ● rA52	cA52 • ● rA52	cA52 • ● rA52	● rA52
Favorability: Perot				cA53 ○	
Favorability: Robertson	cA55 • ● rA55	cA55 • ● rA55	cA55 • ● rA55	cA55 • ● rA55	● rA55
Random order					
Random question order for candidate traits	cAZ01 • ● rAZ01	cAZ01 • ● rAZ01	cAZ01 • ● rAZ01	cAZ01 • ● rAZ01	● rAZ01
B Policy issues					
Most important problem	cB01 • ● rB01	cB01 • ● rB01	cB01 • ● rB01	cB01 • ● rB01	● rB01
BA Economy					
Economic conditions in US positive today	cBA01 • ● rBA01	cBA01 • ● rBA01	cBA01 • ● rBA01	cBA01 • ● rBA01	● rBA01
Personal economic condition positive today	cBA02 • ● rBA02	cBA02 • ● rBA02	cBA02 • ● rBA02	cBA02 • ● rBA02	● rBA02
Federal policies improved economic conditions in US over past year	cBA03 • ● rBA03	cBA03 • ● rBA03	cBA03 • ● rBA03	cBA03 • ● rBA03	● rBA03
Federal policies improved personal economic condition over past year	cBA04 • ● rBA04	cBA04 • ● rBA04	cBA04 • ● rBA04	cBA04 • ● rBA04	● rBA04
Bush or Gore better at keeping economy strong	cBA07 • ● rBA07	cBA07 • ● rBA07	cBA07 • ● rBA07	cBA07 ○ cBA08 ○ rBA07	● rBA07
Clinton or GOP Congress deserves credit for surplus	cBA08 • ● rBA08	cBA08 • ● rBA08	cBA08 • ● rBA08	cBA08 ○ cBA08 ○ rBA08	● rBA08
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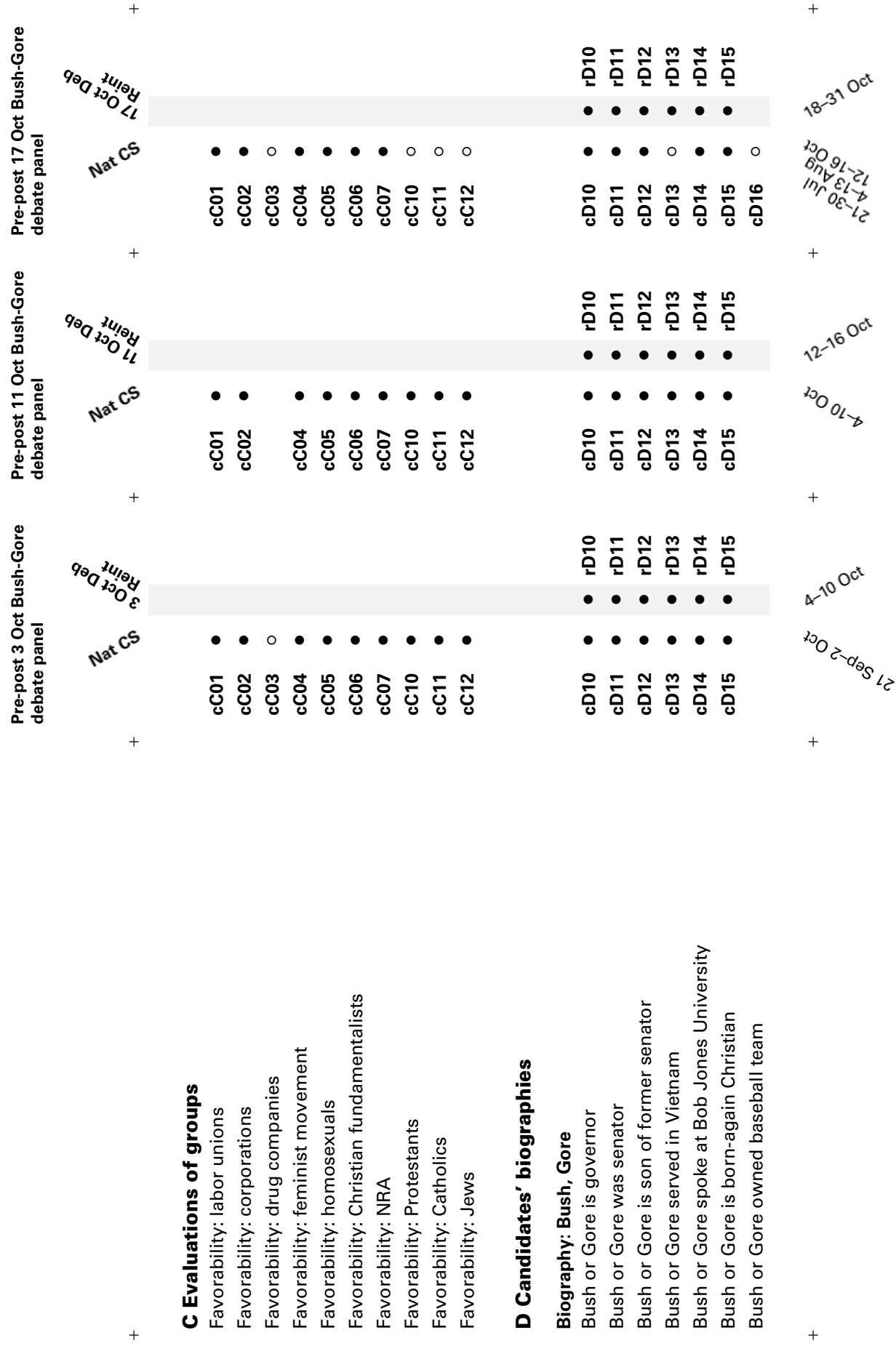
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Position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE05 •	cBE05 •	cBE05 ○	• rBE05
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE06 •	cBE06 •	cBE06 ○	• rBE06
Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE07 •	cBE07 •	cBE07 ○	• rBE07
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children				
Favor universal health care for children	cBE08 •	cBE08 •	cBE08 •	• rBE08
Bush favors universal health care for children	cBE09 •	cBE09 •	cBE09 •	• rBE09
Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE10 •	cBE10 •	cBE10 •	• rBE10
Bush or Gore favors universal health care for children			cBE11 ○	
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care				
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care	cBE13 •	cBE13 •	cBE13 ○	• rBE13
BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights				
Favor right to sue HMOs	cBE14 •	cBE14 •	cBE14 •	• rBE14
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15 •	cBE15 •	cBE15 •	
Bush favors right to sue HMOs	cBE18 •	cBE18 •	cBE18 •	• rBE18
Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE19 •	cBE19 •	cBE19 •	• rBE19
Bush or Gore favors right to sue HMOs			cBE20 ○	
BE Health insurance, other				
Federal government should spend on Medicaid	cBE21 •	cBE21 •	cBE21 •	
BF Abortion, in general				
Favor restricting abortion			cBF01 ○	
	+	+	+	+
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Federal government should restrict abortion	cBF02 •	cBF02 •	cBF02 •	rBF02 •
Federal government should ban abortion	cBF03 •	cBF03 •	cBF03 •	
Bush favors restricting abortion	cBF09 •	cBF09 •	cBF09 •	rBF09 •
Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF10 •	cBF10 •	cBF10 •	rBF10 •
Bush or Gore favors restricting abortion			cBF11 ○	
BF Abortion, RU-486				
Favor sale of RU-486	cBF13 ○	cBF13 •	cBF13 ○	rBF13 •
Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486	cBF14 ○	cBF14 •	cBF14 ○	rBF14 •
BG Crime, death penalty				
Favor death penalty	cBG01 •	cBG01 •	cBG01 •	rBG01 •
Bush favors death penalty	cBG02 •	cBG02 •	cBG02 •	rBG02 •
Gore favors death penalty	cBG03 •	cBG03 •	cBG03 •	rBG03 •
Bush or Gore favors death penalty			cBG04 ○	
BG Crime, gun control				
Favor handgun licenses	cBG05 •	cBG05 •	cBG05 •	rBG05 •
Federal government should expend effort to restrict gun purchases	cBG06 •	cBG06 •	cBG06 •	rBG06 •
Bush favors handgun licenses	cBG08 •	cBG08 •	cBG08 •	rBG08 •
Gore favors handgun licenses	cBG09 •	cBG09 •	cBG09 •	rBG09 •
Bush or Gore favors handgun licenses			cBG10 ○	
Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law	cBG11 •	cBG11 •	cBG11 •	rBG11 •
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BG Crime, other				
Underpunished criminals a problem	cBG12 •	cBG12 •	cBG12 •	• rBG12
Drug use a problem	cBG13 •	cBG13 •	cBG13 •	•
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban				
Federal government should limit contributions to parties	cBH01 •	cBH01 •	cBH01 •	• rBH01
Favor soft money ban	cBH02 •	cBH02 •	cBH02 •	• rBH02
Bush favors soft money ban	cBH04 •	cBH04 •	cBH04 •	• rBH04
Gore favors soft money ban	cBH05 •	cBH05 •	cBH05 •	• rBH05
Bush or Gore favors soft money ban			cBH06 ○	
BH Money in politics, public campaign financing				
Federal government should spend on public campaign financing	cBH07 •	cBH07 •	cBH07 •	
BJ National defense, in general				
Bush or Gore better at defense	cBJ02 •	cBJ02 •	cBJ02 •	• rBJ02
BJ National defense, missile defense				
Federal government should spend on missile defense	cBJ03 •	cBJ03 •	cBJ03 •	
BJ National defense, scope of military				
Federal government should spend on military	cBJ07 •	cBJ07 •	cBJ07 •	• rBJ07
Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars	cBJ08 •	cBJ08 •	cBJ08 •	
BJ National defense, other				
Bush or Gore better at handling Middle East			cBJ09 ○	• rBJ09
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BK Immigration				
Immigration a problem	cBK01 •	cBK01 •	cBK01 •	
BL Gay rights, gays in military				
Favor gays in military	cBL01 •	cBL01 •	cBL01 •	rBL01 •
Bush favors gays in military	cBL02 •	cBL02 •	cBL02 •	rBL02 •
Gore favors gays in military	cBL03 •	cBL03 •	cBL03 •	rBL03 •
Bush or Gore favors gays in military			cBL04 ○	
BL Gay rights, other				
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against gays	cBL05 •	cBL05 •	cBL05 •	rBL05 •
BM Other civil rights				
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against blacks	cBM01 •	cBM01 •	cBM01 •	rBM01 •
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02 •	cBM02 •	cBM02 •	
BN Energy				
Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN01 ○	cBN01 •	cBN01 ○	rBN01 •
Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN02 ○	cBN02 •	cBN02 ○	rBN02 •
Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN03 ○	cBN03 •	cBN03 ○	rBN03 •
BP Poverty				
Poverty a problem	cBP01 •	cBP01 •	cBP01 •	rBP01 •
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Federal government should reduce income differences	cBP02 •	cBP02 •	cBP02 •	
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03 •	cBP03 •	cBP03 •	
BS Environment				
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01 •	cBS01 •	cBS01 •	
BT Other				
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01 •	cBT01 •	cBT01 •	
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02 •	cBT02 •	cBT02 •	
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03 •	cBT03 •	cBT03 •	
Random assignment and order				
Random assignment to question structure for Bush's and Gore's policy positions			cBZ01 ○	
Random assignment to BB11 or BB12	cBZ02 •	cBZ02 •	cBZ02 ○	• rBZ02
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09	cBZ03 •	cBZ03 •	cBZ03 ○	• rBZ03
Random response order for BD05, BD06	cBZ04 •	cBZ04 •	cBZ04 ○	• rBZ04
Random response order for BF09, BF10	cBZ05 •	cBZ05 •	cBZ05 ○	• rBZ05
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03	cBZ06 •	cBZ06 •	cBZ06 ○	• rBZ06
Random response order for BN02, BN03	cBZ07 ○	cBZ07 •	cBZ07 ○	• rBZ07
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Biography: Cheney, Lieberman				
Cheney or Lieberman was secretary of defense	cD17 •	cD17 •	cD17 ○	rD17 •
E Media use				
Network TV and cable				
Watched network TV news in past week	cE01 •	cE01 •	cE01 •	rE01 •
Watched cable news in past week	cE02 •	cE02 •	cE02 •	rE02 •
Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week	cE03 •	cE03 •	cE03 •	rE03 •
Local TV				
Watched local TV news in past week	cE06 •	cE06 •	cE06 •	rE06 •
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week	cE07 •	cE07 •	cE07 •	rE07 •
Other TV				
Watched late-night comedy in past week	cE10 ○	cE10 •	cE10 ○	rE10 •
Have cable or satellite TV in home	cE12 •	cE12 •	cE12 •	
Newspapers				
Read newspaper in past week	cE13 •	cE13 •	cE13 •	rE13 •
Newspaper read most in past week	cE14 •	cE14 •	cE14 •	rE14 •
Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in past week	cE15 •	cE15 •	cE15 •	rE15 •
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Talk radio								
Listened to talk radio in past week	cE18 ●	●	rE18 ●	cE18 ●	●	rE18 ●	cE18 ●	●
Talk radio hosts listened to in past week	cE19 ●	●	rE19 ●	cE19 ●	●	rE19 ●	cE19 ●	●
Online information								
Have online access	cE20 ●	●	rE20 ●	cE20 ●	●	rE20 ●	cE20 ●	●
Saw online information about presidential campaign in past week	cE21 ●	●	rE21 ●	cE21 ●	●	rE21 ●	cE21 ●	●
F Debates								
3 Oct Bush-Gore debate								
Watched 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate		●	rF35 ●	cF35 ●	●	rF35 ●	cF35 ○	●
Did not watch but aware of 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate		●	rF36 ●	cF36 ●	●	rF36 ●	cF36 ○	●
Bush or Gore performed better in 3 Oct debate		●	rF37 ●	cF37 ●	●	rF37 ●	cF37 ○	●
Bush performed as expected in 3 Oct debate		●	rF38 ●	cF38 ●	●	rF38 ●	cF38 ○	●
Gore performed as expected in 3 Oct debate		●	rF39 ●	cF39 ●	●	rF39 ●	cF39 ○	●
Network watched for 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate		●	rF40 ●	cF40 ●	●	rF40 ●	cF40 ○	●
11 Oct Bush-Gore debate								
Watched 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate					●	rF41 ●	cF41 ○	●
Did not watch but aware of 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate					●	rF42 ●	cF42 ○	●
Bush or Gore performed better in 11 Oct debate					●	rF43 ●	cF43 ○	●
Bush performed as expected in 11 Oct debate					●	rF44 ●	cF44 ○	●

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Gore performed as expected in 11 Oct debate		● rF45	● rF45	● rF45
Network watched for 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate		● rF46	● rF46	● rF46
17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				
Watched 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				● rF47
Did not watch but aware of 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				● rF48
Bush or Gore performed better in 17 Oct debate				● rF49
Bush performed as expected in 17 Oct debate				● rF50
Gore performed as expected in 17 Oct debate				● rF51
Network watched for 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				● rF52
Cheney-Lieberman debate				
Watched Cheney-Lieberman debate	○ rF58	○ cF58	○ cF58	● rF58
Cheney or Lieberman performed better in debate	○ rF59	○ cF59	○ cF59	● rF59
Random order				
Random question order for evaluations of Bush-Gore debates	● rFZ01	● cFZ01	● rFZ01	● rFZ01
G Presidential nominating conventions				
GOP convention				
Watched GOP convention	○ cG01		○ cG01	○ cG01
Watched Monday of GOP convention			○ cG02	○ cG02
Watched Tuesday of GOP convention			○ cG03	○ cG03
Watched Wednesday of GOP convention			○ cG04	○ cG04
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Other TV appearances				
Watched Bush on Oprah	cH16 ○			
J Contact with presidential campaigns				
Contacted by campaign				
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01 ●	cJ01 ●	cJ01 ●	
Contacted by group other than campaign				
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05 ●	cJ05 ●	cJ05 ●	
Received brochures				
Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09 ●	cJ09 ●	cJ09 ●	
K Political participation				
Interest in politics				
Interested in government	cK01 ●	cK01 ●	cK01 ●	rK01 ●
Interested in 2000 political campaigns	cK02 ●	cK02 ●	cK02 ●	rK02 ●
Interested in presidential campaign	cK03 ●	cK03 ●	cK03 ●	rK03 ●
Care which party wins presidential election	cK04 ●	cK04 ●	cK04 ●	rK04 ●
Discussed politics with family or friends				
Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05 ●	cK05 ●	cK05 ●	rK05 ●
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L Evaluations of campaign discourse Presidential candidates talking about policy Presidential candidates criticizing opponents Presidential candidates self-promoting Presidential campaign more negative than past Bush or Gore campaign more negative Would not vote for candidate who campaigned negatively Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL01	●	rL01	●	cL01	●	cL01	●
	cL03	●	rL03	●	cL03	●	cL03	●
	cL04	●	rL04	●	cL04	●	cL04	●
	cL06	○						
	cL07	●	rL07	●	cL07	●	cL07	○
	cL08	○						
	cL10	●	rL10	●	cL10	●	cL10	●
M Orientation to government Trust federal government Presidents keep campaign promises People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates People like me have no say over who is president Presidential elections too complicated to understand	cM01	●	rM01	●	cM01	●	cM01	●
	cM10	●	rM10	●	cM10	●	cM10	●
	cM15	●	rM15	●	cM15	●	cM15	●
	cM16	●	rM16	●	cM16	●	cM16	●
	cM17	●	rM17	●	cM17	●	cM17	●
N Presidential candidate chances Likely winner of general presidential election Bush will beat Gore Gore will beat Bush								
	cN06	●			cN06	●	cN06	●
	cN07	●			cN07	●	cN07	●

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Ballot for GOP presidential nominee	cR17 ●	cR17 ●	cR17 ●
Ballot for Democratic presidential nominee	cR18 ●	cR18 ●	cR18 ●
Intended general election vote			
Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Gore	cR23 ●	cR23 ●	cR23 ●
Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Gore vs. Buchanan vs. Nader	cR27 ●	cR27 ●	cR27 ●
Any chance would vote for Bush in general election	cR28 ●	cR28 ●	cR28 ●
Any chance would vote for Gore in general election	cR29 ●	cR29 ●	cR29 ●
Intend to vote in general election	cR30 ●	cR30 ●	cR30 ●
Likely to vote in general election			cR31 ○
Intend to early vote in general election	cR32 ○	cR32 ●	cR32 ○
Intended method of early voting in general election	cR33 ○	cR33 ●	cR33 ○
Actual general election vote			
Voted in general election	cR34 ○	cR34 ●	cR34 ○
General election ballot for president	cR35 ○	cR35 ●	cR35 ○
Early voted in general election	cR36 ○	cR36 ●	cR36 ○
Method of early voting in general election	cR37 ○	cR37 ●	cR37 ○
Date early voted in general election	cR38 ○	cR38 ●	cR38 ○
General voting behavior and attitudes			
Vote frequently	cR42 ○		cR42 ○
Voted in 1996 general presidential election			cR43 ○
Know where to vote in neighborhood			cR44 ○
	+	+	+
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Voted in current election district			
Vote for satisfaction or duty	cR50		cR45
Voting important responsibility	cR51		cR50
			cR51
Gender in politics			
More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate			cR53
More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate			cR54
Random order			
Random question order for R23, R27	cRZ01	cRZ01	cRZ01
Random response order for R23	cRZ02	cRZ02	cRZ02
Random response order for R27	cRZ06	cRZ06	cRZ06
Random response order for R35	cRZ07	cRZ07	cRZ07
U US House and Senate			
Congressional district	cU01	cU01	cU01
Congressional primary election status	cU02	cU02	cU02
US House			
Incumbent US representative running for re-election	cU03	cU03	cU03
Party of incumbent US representative	cU04	cU04	cU04
Major general election challenging candidates for US representative		cU05	cU05
Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US representative		cU06	cU06

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Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US representative		cU07	cU07	
Open-ended recall: incumbent US representative	cU08	cU08	cU08	
Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US representative	cU09	cU09	cU09	
Favorability: incumbent candidate for US representative	cU10	cU10	cU10	
Favorability: retiring US representative			cU11	
Favorability: first major general election challenging candidate for US representative		cU12	cU12	
Favorability: second major general election challenging candidate for US representative		cU13	cU13	
Intended general election ballot for US representative	cU14	cU14	cU14	
US Senate				
Incumbent US senator running for re-election	cU17	cU17	cU17	
Party of incumbent candidate for US senator	cU18	cU18	cU18	
Major general election challenging candidates for US senator	cU19	cU19	cU19	
Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US senator	cU20	cU20	cU20	
Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US senator	cU21	cU21	cU21	
Open-ended recall: incumbent US senators	cU22	cU22	cU22	
Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US senator	cU23	cU23	cU23	
Favorability: incumbent candidate for US senator	cU24	cU24	cU24	
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Employed student	cW10 •	cW10 •	cW10 •
Occupation	cW11 •	cW11 •	cW11 •
Self-employed	cW12 •	cW12 •	cW12 •
Work for government	cW13 •	cW13 •	cW13 •
Attend religious services	cW14 •	cW14 •	cW14 •
Affiliated with religion	cW15 •	cW15 •	cW15 •
Religious affiliation	cW16 •	cW16 •	cW16 •
Born-again Christian	cW17 •	cW17 •	cW17 •
Years at current address	cW18 •	cW18 •	cW18 •
Have health insurance	cW19 •	cW19 •	cW19 •
Main health insurance is HMO	cW20 •	cW20 •	cW20 •
Household demographics			
Census division	cW21 •	cW21 •	cW21 •
Metropolitan statistical area	cW22 •	cW22 •	cW22 •
County	cW23 •	cW23 •	cW23 •
Urbanity	cW24 •	cW24 •	cW24 •
Nielsen media market	cW25 •	cW25 •	cW25 •
Adults in household	cW26 •	cW26 •	cW26 •
Children in household	cW27 •	cW27 •	cW27 •
Household income	cW28 •	cW28 •	cW28 •
Labor union household	cW29 •	cW29 •	cW29 •
Military household	cW30 •	cW30 •	cW30 •
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Voice lines in home			
Zip code (estimated from phone)			
Zip code (provided by respondent)			
X Random assignment to question modules			
Random assignment to question module C			
Random assignment to question module D			
Random assignment to question module E			
Random assignment to question module F			
Y Interview attributes			
Interview language			
Interviewer key			
Interviewer sex			
Interviewer race/ethnicity			
Interviewer judge of interview			
Interviewer judge of respondent's political knowledge			

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Interview point
Respondent key
Date of interview (local to respondent)
Time of interview (ET)
Area code
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A Evaluations of candidates and political figures

Evaluations of Bush

Favorability: Bush
Cares: Bush
Honest: Bush
Inspiring: Bush
Knowledgeable: Bush
Hypocritical: Bush
Trustworthy: Bush
Leadership: Bush
Bush conservative or liberal
One word: Bush

cA01
cA02
cA03
cA04
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cA06
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cA09
cA10

• rA01
• rA02
• rA03
• rA04
• rA05
• rA08
• rA09

Evaluations of Gore

Favorability: Gore
Cares: Gore
Honest: Gore
Inspiring: Gore
Knowledgeable: Gore
Hypocritical: Gore
Trustworthy: Gore
Leadership: Gore
Gore conservative or liberal
One word: Gore

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• rA15
• rA18
• rA19

Evaluations of McCain

Favorability: McCain
Cares: McCain
Honest: McCain
Inspiring: McCain

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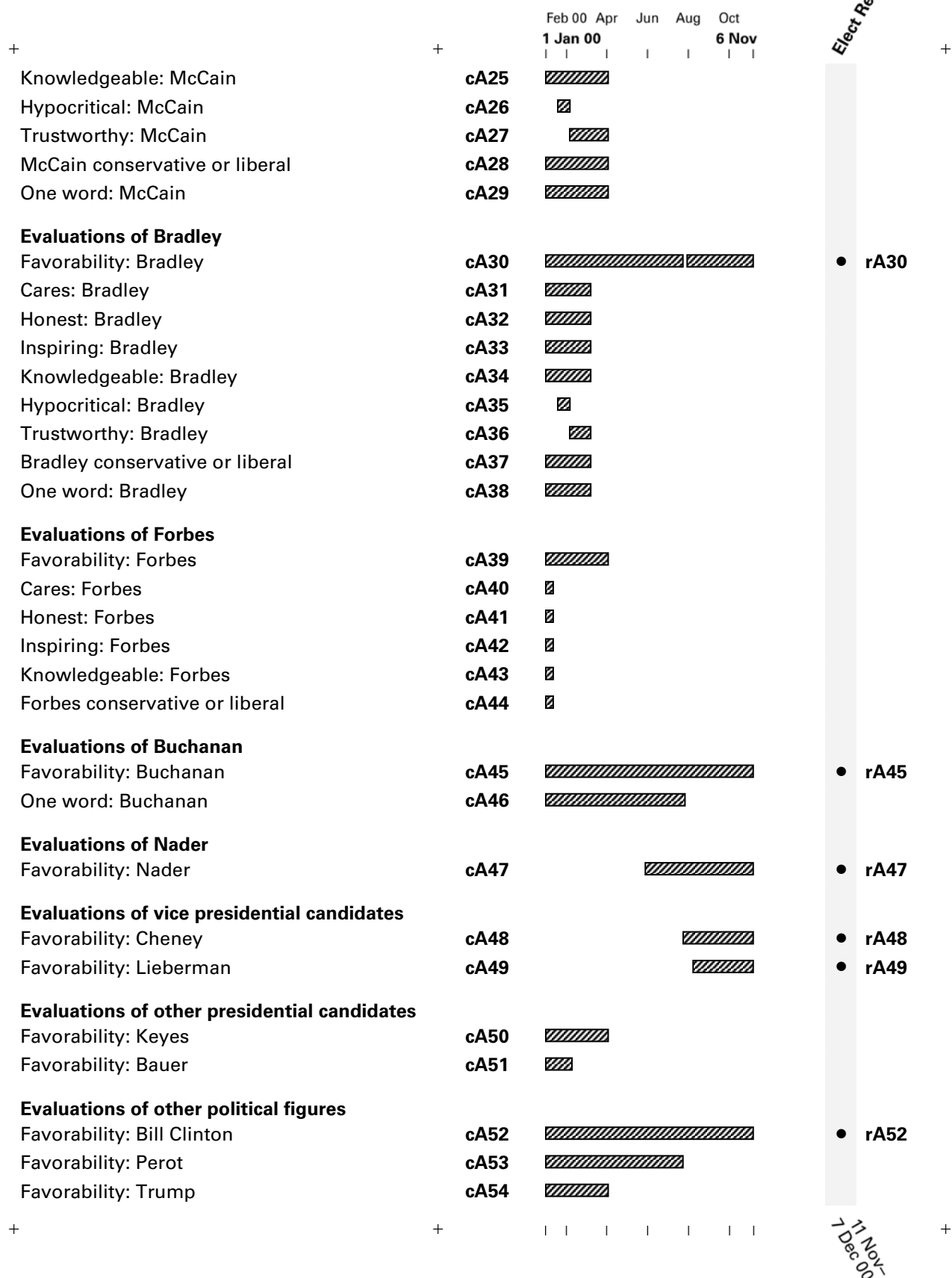
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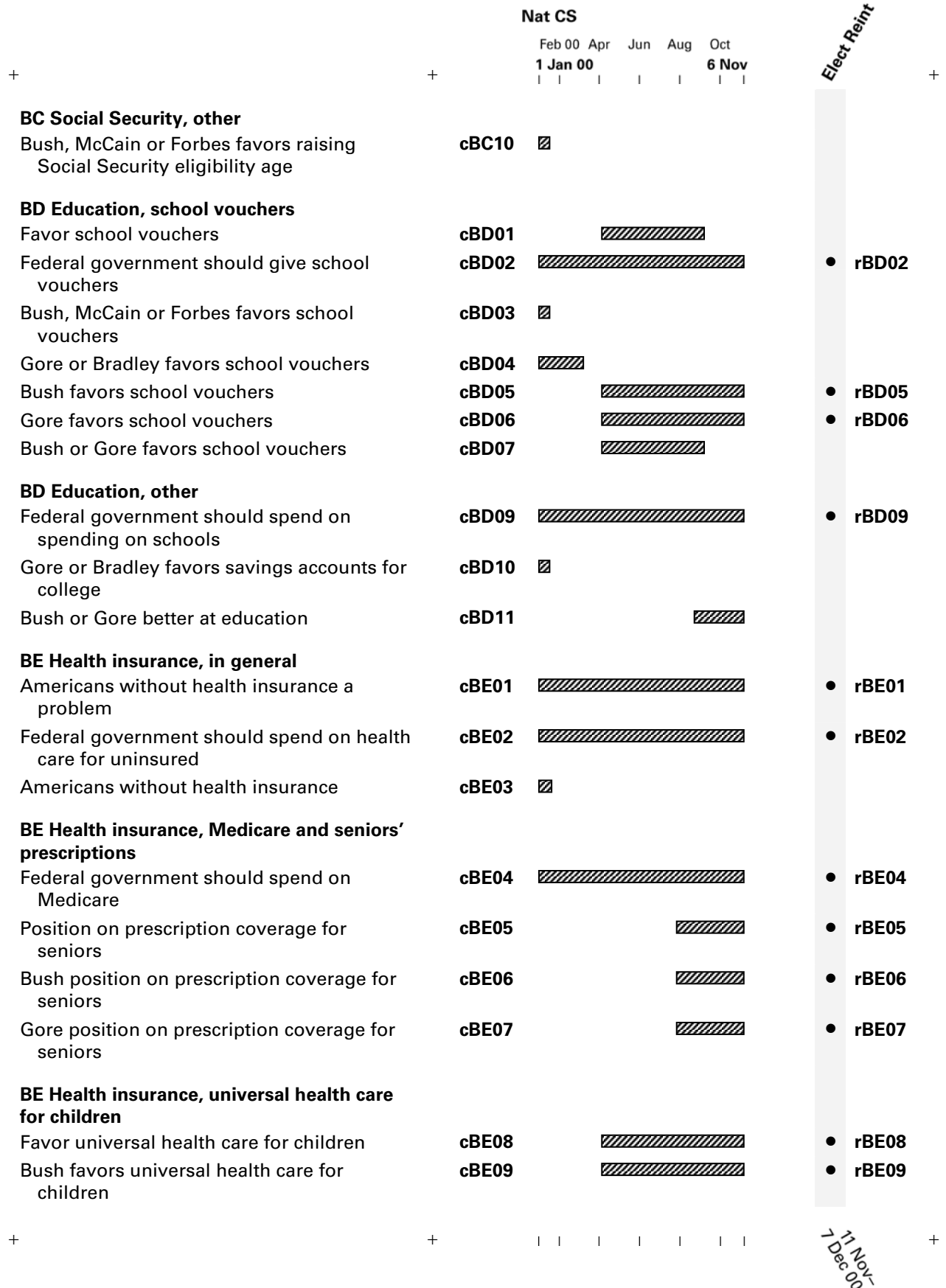
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+	Inheritance tax should be cut for some Americans						• rBB11	+
	Tax on inheritances over 1 million should be cut						• rBB12	
	BB Taxes, flat tax							
	Federal government should adopt flat tax						• rBB13	
	Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors flat income tax							
	BB Taxes, ethanol tax breaks							
	Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors ethanol tax breaks							
	Annual cost of ethanol tax breaks							
	BB Taxes, other							
	Gore or Bradley voted for 1981 tax cuts							
	Bush or Gore favors doubling per-child tax deduction						• rBB18	
	Most common federal income tax bracket							
	BC Social Security, in general							
	Federal government should spend on Social Security						• rBC01	
	Bush or McCain would spend more on Social Security							
	Bush or Gore favors biggest increase for Social Security						• rBC03	
	Bush or Gore better at Social Security and Medicare							
	BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market							
	Favor investing Social Security in stock market						• rBC05	
	Investing Social Security in stock market will reduce benefits for elderly						• rBC06	
	Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market						• rBC07	
	Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market						• rBC08	
	Bush or Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market							
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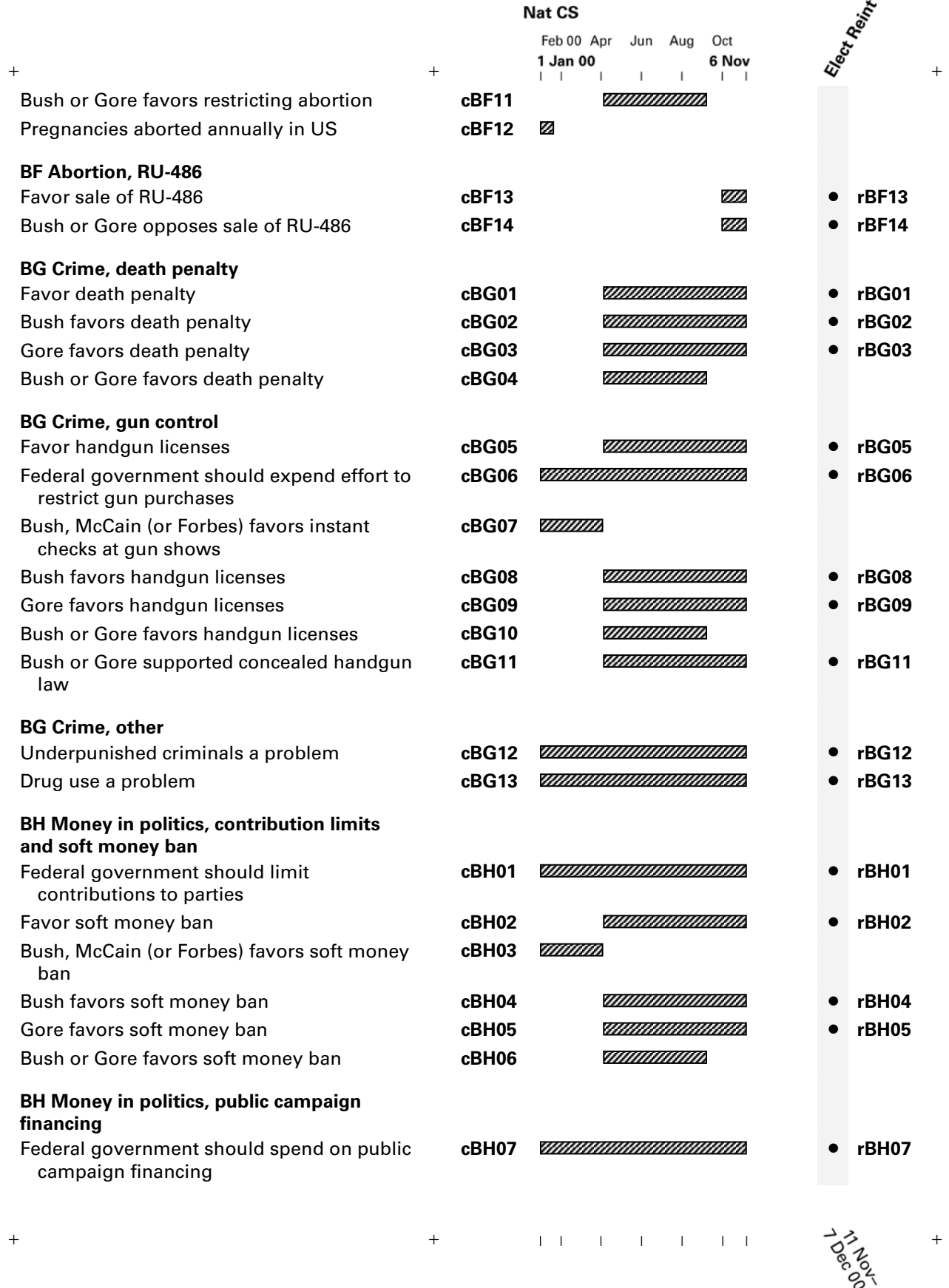
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Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE10						•	rBE10
Bush or Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE11							
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care								
Bush, McCain or Forbes favors savings accounts for health care	cBE12							
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care	cBE13						•	rBE13
BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights								
Favor right to sue HMOs	cBE14						•	rBE14
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15						•	rBE15
Bush, McCain or Forbes favors right to sue HMOs	cBE16							
Gore or Bradley favors right to sue HMOs	cBE17							
Bush favors right to sue HMOs	cBE18						•	rBE18
Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE19						•	rBE19
Bush or Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE20							
BE Health insurance, other								
Federal government should spend on Medicaid	cBE21						•	rBE21
Gore or Bradley favors universal health care	cBE22							
BF Abortion, in general								
Favor restricting abortion	cBF01							
Federal government should restrict abortion	cBF02						•	rBF02
Federal government should ban abortion	cBF03						•	rBF03
Bush or McCain opposes abortion except for rape, mother's health	cBF04							
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) would nominate only anti-abortion Supreme Court justices	cBF05							
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors anti-abortion constitutional amendment	cBF06							
Bush, McCain or Forbes would prioritize anti-abortion constitutional amendment	cBF07							
Gore or Bradley favors right to choose abortion	cBF08							
Bush favors restricting abortion	cBF09						•	rBF09
Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF10						•	rBF10

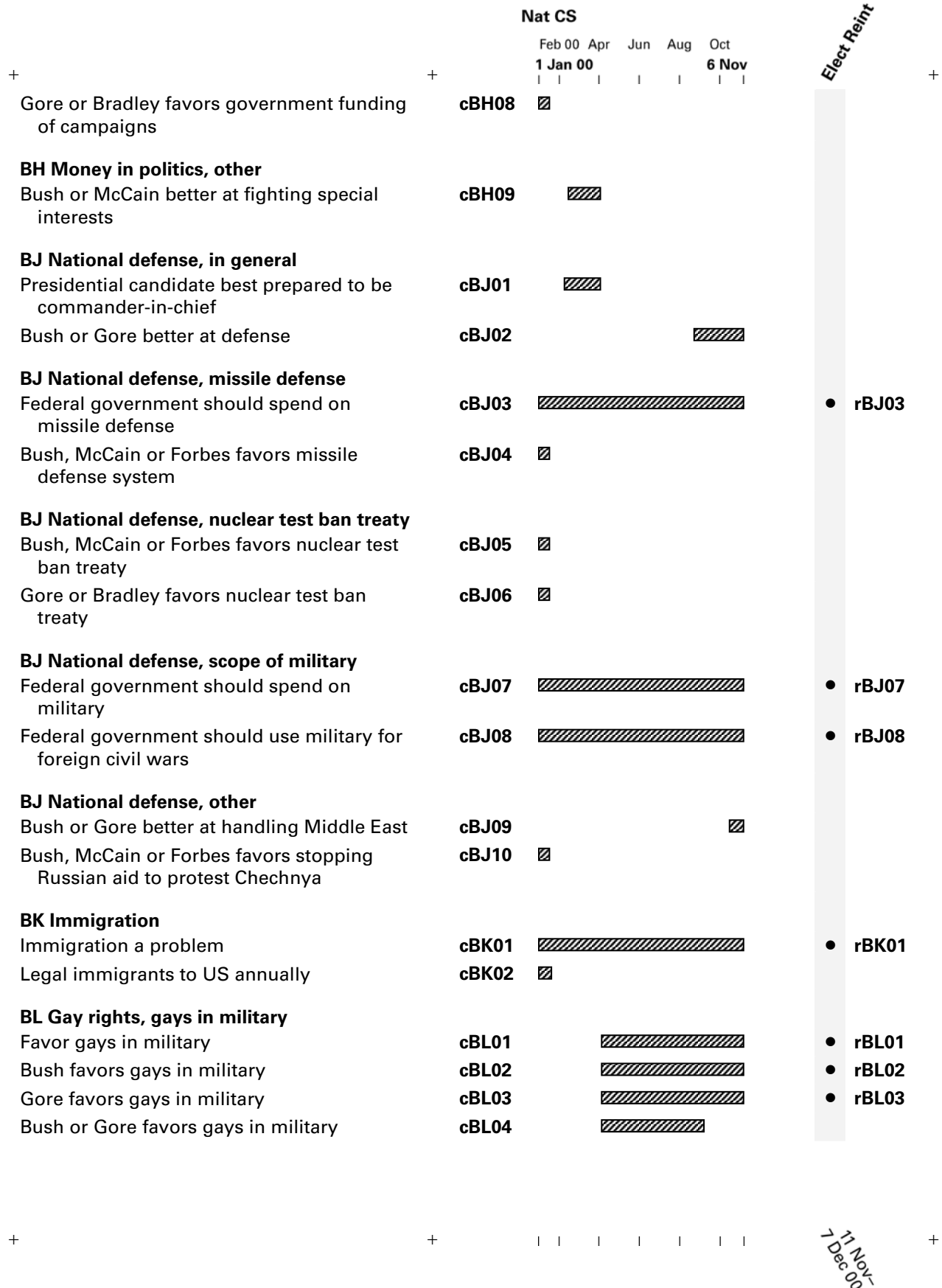
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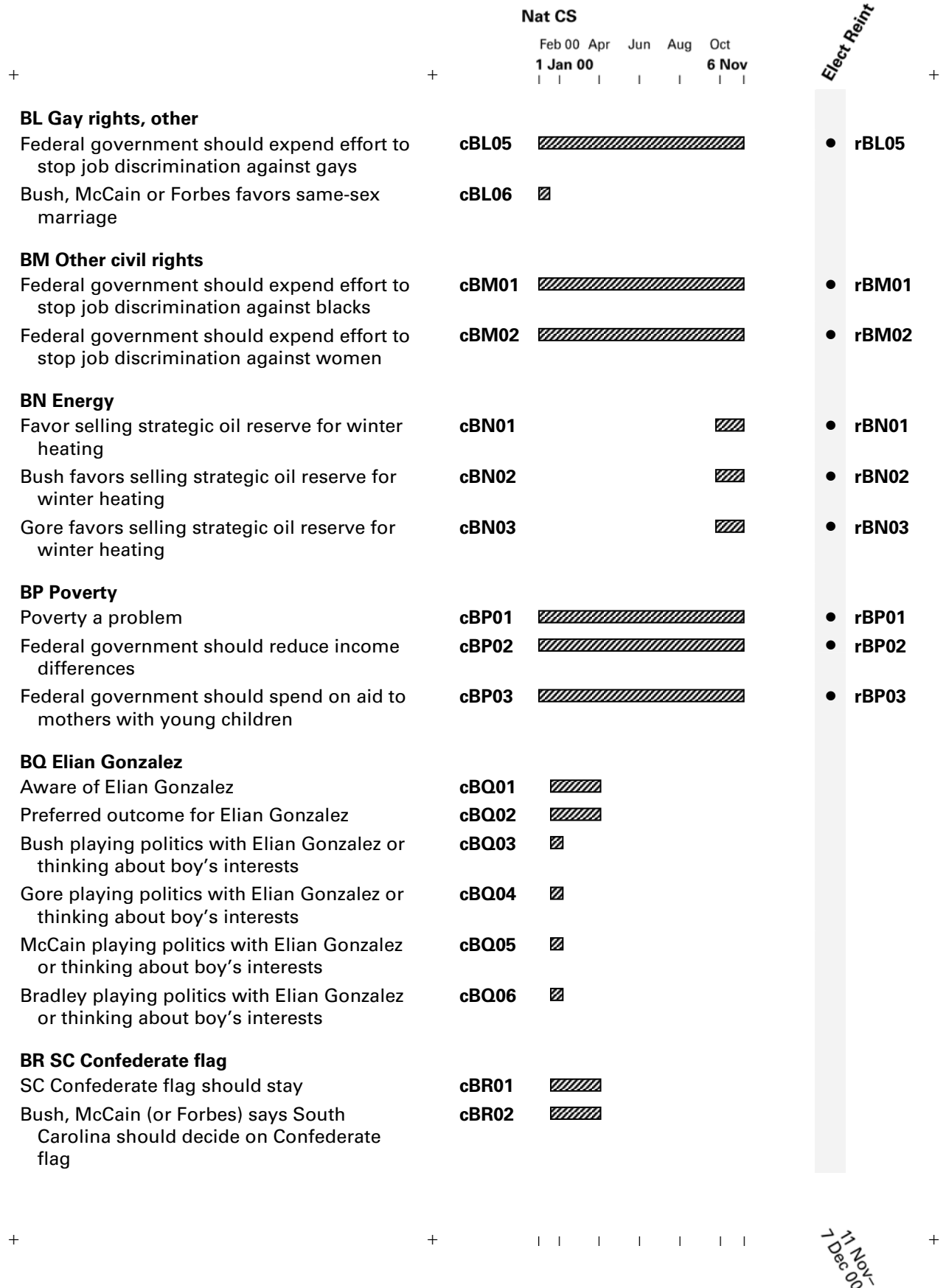
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Bush, McCain (or Forbes) really believes South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag	cBR03				
BS Environment					
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01				• rBS01
BT Other					
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01				• rBT01
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02				• rBT02
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03				• rBT03
Bush or McCain opposed breast cancer research funding	cBT04				
Random assignment and order					
Random assignment to question structure for Bush's and Gore's policy positions	cBZ01				
Random assignment to BB11 or BB12	cBZ02				• rBZ02
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09	cBZ03				• rBZ03
Random response order for BD05, BD06	cBZ04				• rBZ04
Random response order for BF09, BF10	cBZ05				• rBZ05
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03	cBZ06				• rBZ06
Random response order for BN02, BN03	cBZ07				• rBZ07
C Evaluations of groups					
Favorability: labor unions	cC01				• rC01
Favorability: corporations	cC02				• rC02
Favorability: drug companies	cC03				
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04				• rC04
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05				• rC05
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06				• rC06
Favorability: NRA	cC07				• rC07
Favorability: Protestants	cC10				• rC10
Favorability: Catholics	cC11				• rC11
Favorability: Jews	cC12				• rC12

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D Candidates' biographies

Biography: Bush, McCain, Forbes

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is governor
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is senator
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is businessman
Bush, McCain (or Forbes) was Vietnam POW
Bush or McCain spoke at Bob Jones University

cD01
cD02
cD03
cD04
cD05

Biography: Gore, Bradley

Gore or Bradley was senator
Gore or Bradley is son of former senator
Gore or Bradley played basketball
Gore or Bradley served in Vietnam

cD06
cD07
cD08
cD09

Biography: Bush, Gore

Bush or Gore is governor
Bush or Gore was senator
Bush or Gore is son of former senator
Bush or Gore served in Vietnam
Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University
Bush or Gore is born-again Christian
Bush or Gore owned baseball team

cD10
cD11
cD12
cD13
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cD15
cD16

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• rD11
• rD12
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• rD14
• rD15

Biography: Cheney, Lieberman

Cheney or Lieberman was secretary of defense

cD17

• rD17

E Media use

Network TV and cable

Watched network TV news in past week
Watched cable news in past week
Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week
Paid attention to network TV news about presidential campaign in fall campaign
Paid attention to cable news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

cE01
cE02
cE03

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• rE03f

Local TV

Watched local TV news in past week

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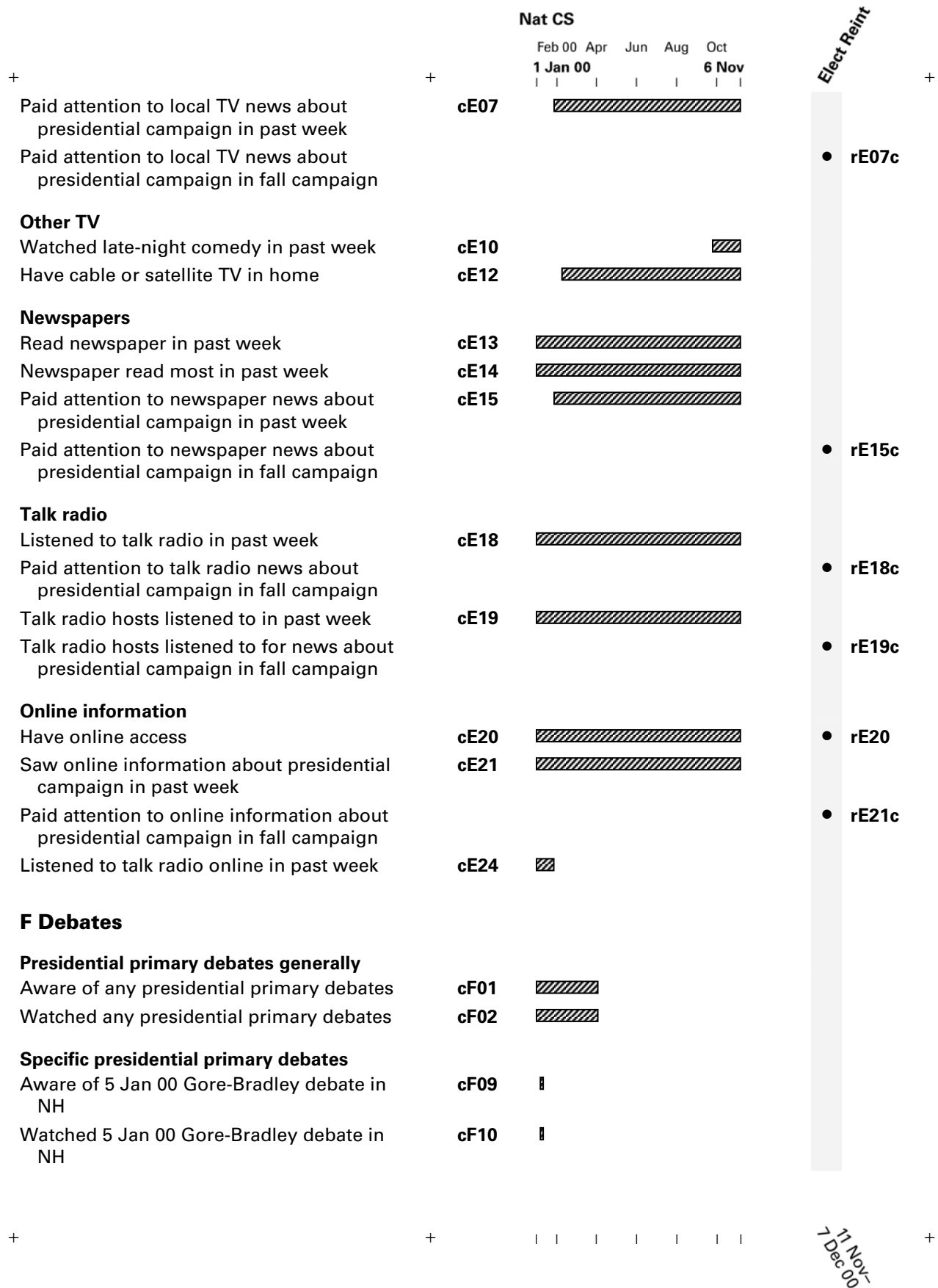
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Aware of 6 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF11								
Watched 6 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF12								
Aware of 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC	cF13								
Watched 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC	cF14								
Aware of 8 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF15								
Watched 8 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF16								
Aware of 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI	cF17								
Watched 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI	cF18								
Aware of 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA	cF19								
Watched 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA	cF20								
Aware of 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF21								
Watched 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA	cF22								
Aware of 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF23								
Watched 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH	cF24								
Aware of 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH	cF25								
Watched 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH	cF26								
Aware of 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC	cF27								
Watched 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC	cF28								
Aware of 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY	cF29								
Watched 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY	cF30								
Aware of 1 Mar Gore-Bradley debate in CA	cF31								
Watched 1 Mar Gore-Bradley debate in CA	cF32								
Aware of 2 Mar Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in CA	cF33								
Watched 2 Mar Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in CA	cF34								
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3 Oct Bush-Gore debate								
Watched 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF35						☑	
Did not watch but aware of 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF36						☑	
Bush or Gore performed better in 3 Oct debate	cF37						☑	
Bush performed as expected in 3 Oct debate	cF38						☑	
Gore performed as expected in 3 Oct debate	cF39						☑	
Network watched for 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF40						☑	
11 Oct Bush-Gore debate								
Watched 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF41						☑	
Did not watch but aware of 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF42						☑	
Bush or Gore performed better in 11 Oct debate	cF43						☑	
Bush performed as expected in 11 Oct debate	cF44						☑	
Gore performed as expected in 11 Oct debate	cF45						☑	
Network watched for 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF46						☑	
17 Oct Bush-Gore debate								
Watched 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF47						☑	
Did not watch but aware of 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF48						☑	
Bush or Gore performed better in 17 Oct debate	cF49						☑	
Bush performed as expected in 17 Oct debate	cF50						☑	
Gore performed as expected in 17 Oct debate	cF51						☑	
Network watched for 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate	cF52						☑	
Bush-Gore debates in general								
Watched any Bush-Gore debates	cF53						☐	● rF53
Did not watch but aware of any Bush-Gore debates	cF54						☐	● rF54
Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates	cF55						☐	● rF55
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Bush performed as expected in debates with Gore	cF56					█	•	rF56	
Gore performed as expected in debates with Bush	cF57					█	•	rF57	
Cheney-Lieberman debate									
Watched Cheney-Lieberman debate	cF58					█			
Cheney or Lieberman performed better in debate	cF59					█			
Random order									
Random question order for evaluations of Bush-Gore debates	cFZ01					██	•	rFZ01	
G Presidential nominating conventions									
GOP convention									
Watched GOP convention	cG01					██			
Watched Monday of GOP convention	cG02					█			
Watched Tuesday of GOP convention	cG03					█			
Watched Wednesday of GOP convention	cG04					█			
Watched Thursday of GOP convention	cG05					█			
Watched Laura Bush's GOP convention speech	cG06					█			
Watched Colin Powell's GOP convention speech	cG07					█			
Watched McCain's GOP convention speech	cG08					█			
Watched Cheney's GOP convention speech	cG09					█			
Watched Bush's GOP convention speech	cG10					█			
Network watched most for GOP convention	cG11					█			
Democratic convention									
Watched Democratic convention	cG12					██			
Watched Monday of Democratic convention	cG13					█			
Watched Tuesday of Democratic convention	cG14					█			
Watched Wednesday of Democratic convention	cG15					█			
Watched Thursday of Democratic convention	cG16					█			
Watched Hillary Clinton's Democratic convention speech	cG17					█			
Watched Bill Clinton's Democratic convention speech	cG18					█			
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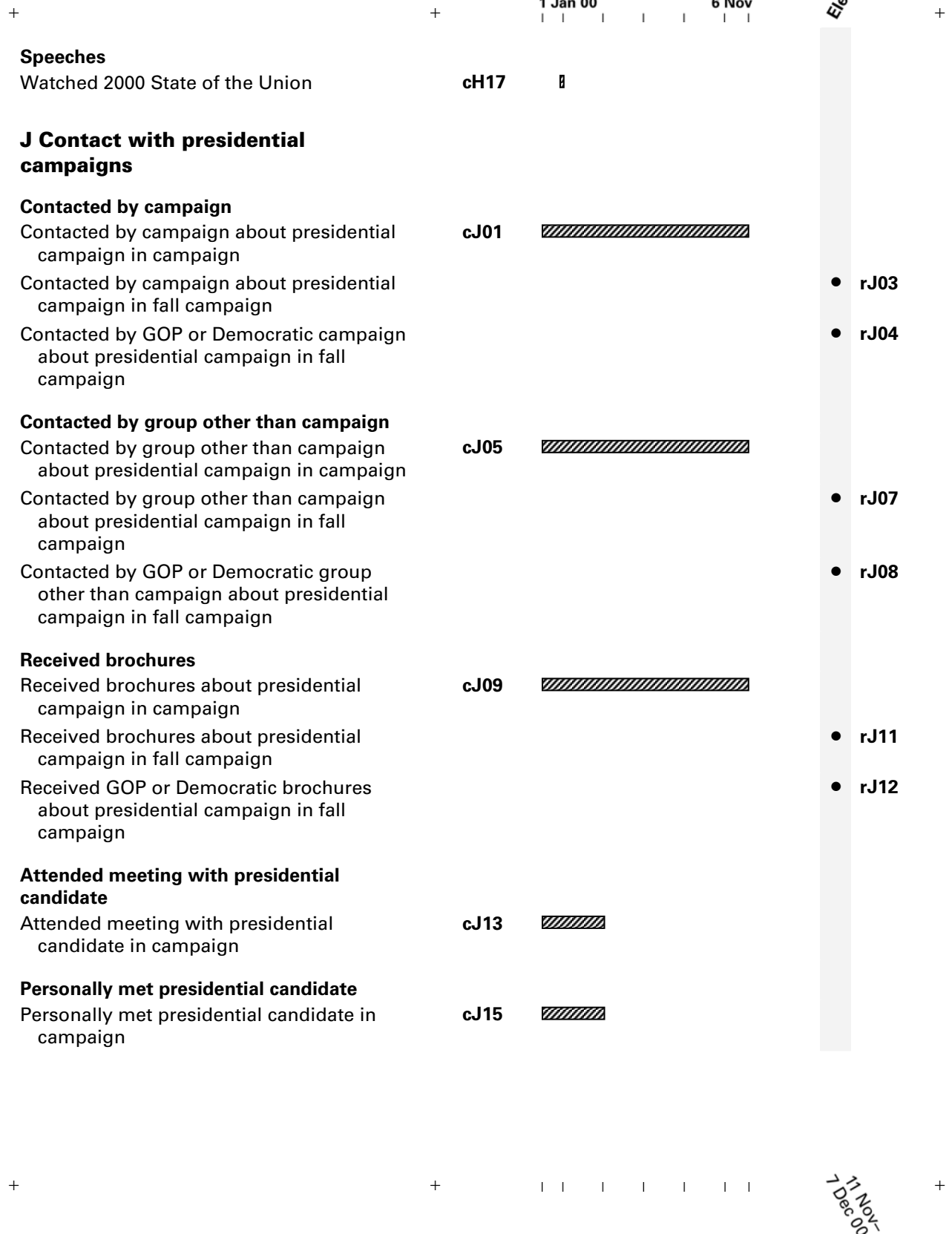
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Watched Bradley's Democratic convention speech	cG19					█				
Watched Lieberman's Democratic convention speech	cG20					█				
Watched Gore's Democratic convention speech	cG21					█				
Network watched most for Democratic convention	cG22					I				
H Advertising, TV appearances and speeches										
Advertising generally										
Watched presidential campaign ads in past week	cH01			██████						
Watched more ads for Bush or Gore in past week	cH02			██████						
Bush or Gore talked about more in ads watched in past week	cH03			██████						
More positive or negative things about Bush in ads watched in past week	cH04			██████						
More positive or negative things about Gore in ads watched in past week	cH05			██████						
Specific ads										
Aware of 2 Mar Bradley five-minute ad	cH06			█						
Watched 2 Mar Bradley five-minute ad	cH07			█						
Aware of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes	cH08			██						
Sponsor of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes	cH09			██						
Believe Bush broke promise on sales taxes	cH10			██						
Aware of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history	cH11			██						
Sponsor of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history	cH12			██						
Believe Bush signed biggest tax cut in Texas history	cH13			██						
Aware of ad about Gore reinventing self	cH14					████				
Other TV appearances										
Watched Gore on Oprah	cH15					█				
Watched Bush on Oprah	cH16					█				
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K Political participation**Interest in politics**

Interested in government

cK01



• rK01

Interested in 2000 political campaigns

cK02



• rK02

Interested in presidential campaign

cK03



• rK03

Care which party wins presidential election

cK04



• rK04

Discussed politics with family or friends

Discussed politics with family or friends in past week

cK05



• rK06

Discussed politics with family or friends in fall campaign

cK07



• rK08

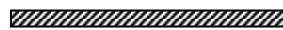
Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week

Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in fall campaign

Discussed politics at work or online

Discussed politics at work or online in past week

cK09



• rK10

Discussed politics at work or online in fall campaign

Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week

cK11



• rK12

Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in fall campaign

Advocated voting

Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign

cK13



• rK15

Advocated voting for presidential candidate in fall campaign

Attending meeting for presidential candidate

Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign

cK16



• rK18

Attended meeting for presidential candidate in fall campaign

Did other work

Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign

cK19



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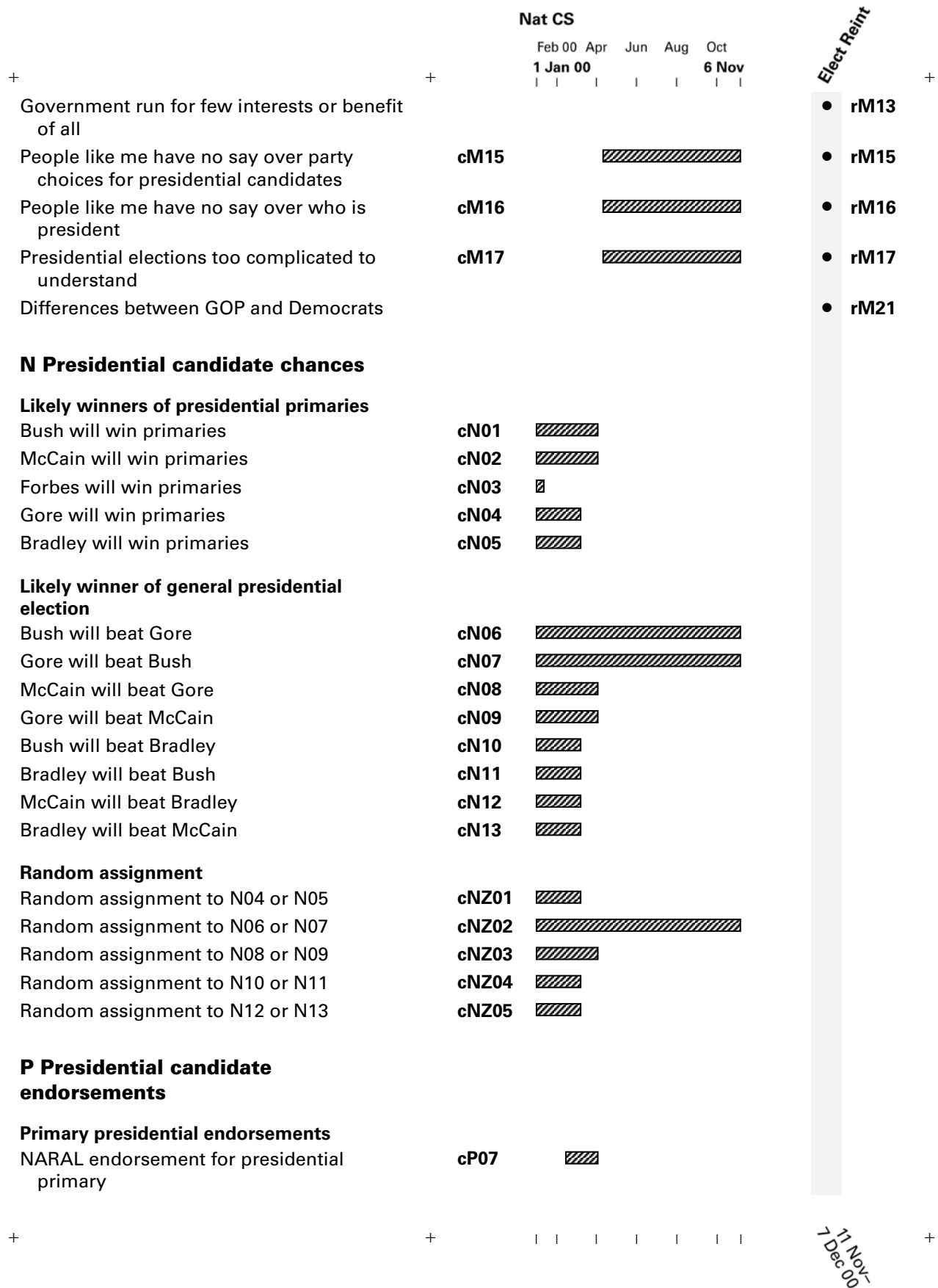
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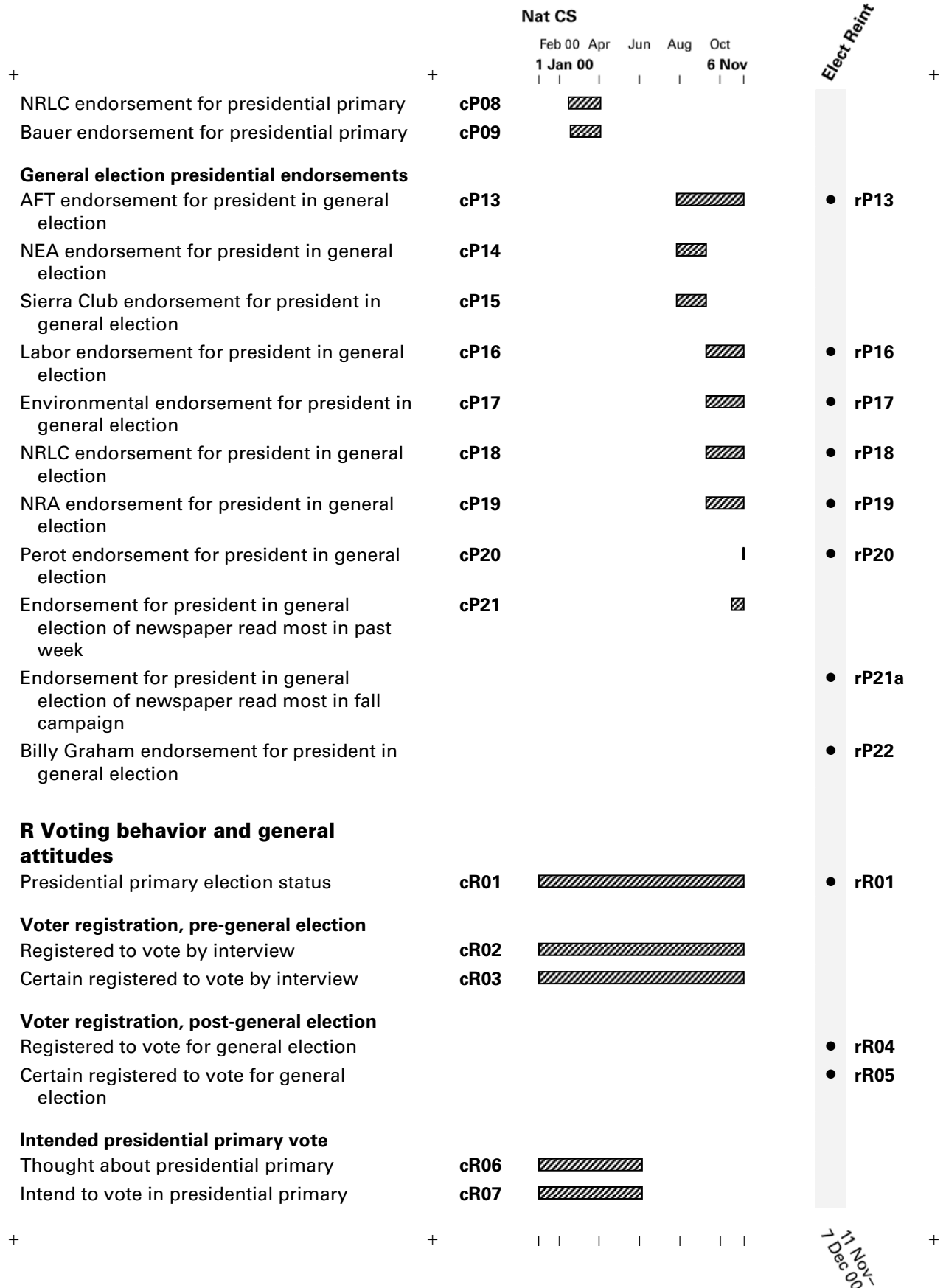
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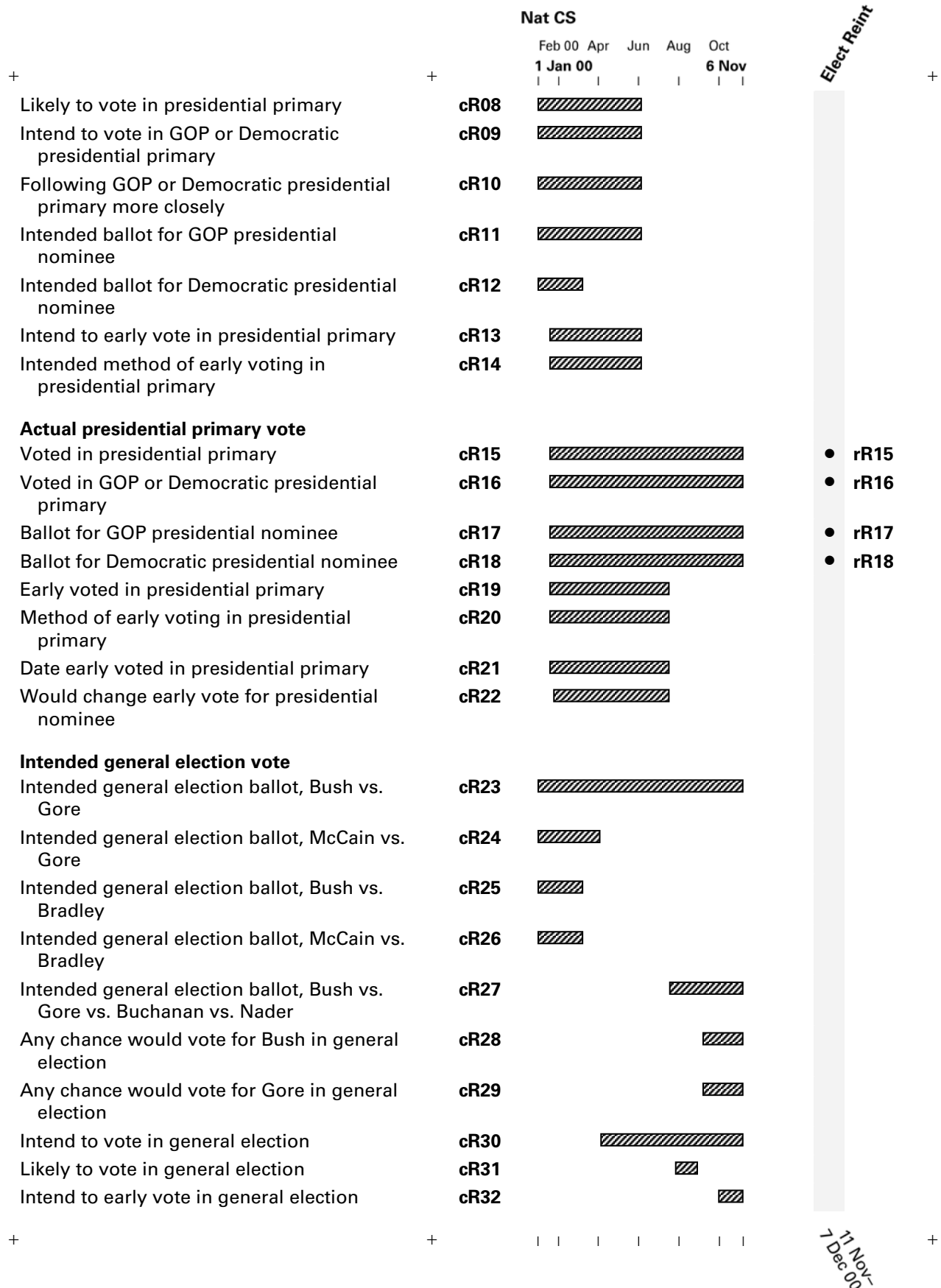
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cRZ05 

cRZ06 

cRZ07 

- **rRZ07**

News coverage

- **rS65**

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- **rS72**

Congressional district

Congressional primary election status

⊗ **cU01** 

cU02 

- **rU01**

- **rU02**

Incumbent US representative running for re-election

cU03

- **rU03**

Party of incumbent US representative

cU04 

- **rU04**

Major general election challenging candidates for US representative

cU05 

- **rU05**

Party of first major general election
challenging candidate for US
representative

cU06 

- **rU06**

Party of second major general election
challenging candidate for US
representative

cU07 

- **rU07**

Open-ended recall: incumbent US representative

cU08

Open-ended recall: general election
candidates for US representative

cU09

- **rU09**

Favorability: incumbent candidate for US representative

cU10

- **rU10**

Favorability: retiring US representative

cU11

Favorability: first major general election
challenging candidate for US
representative

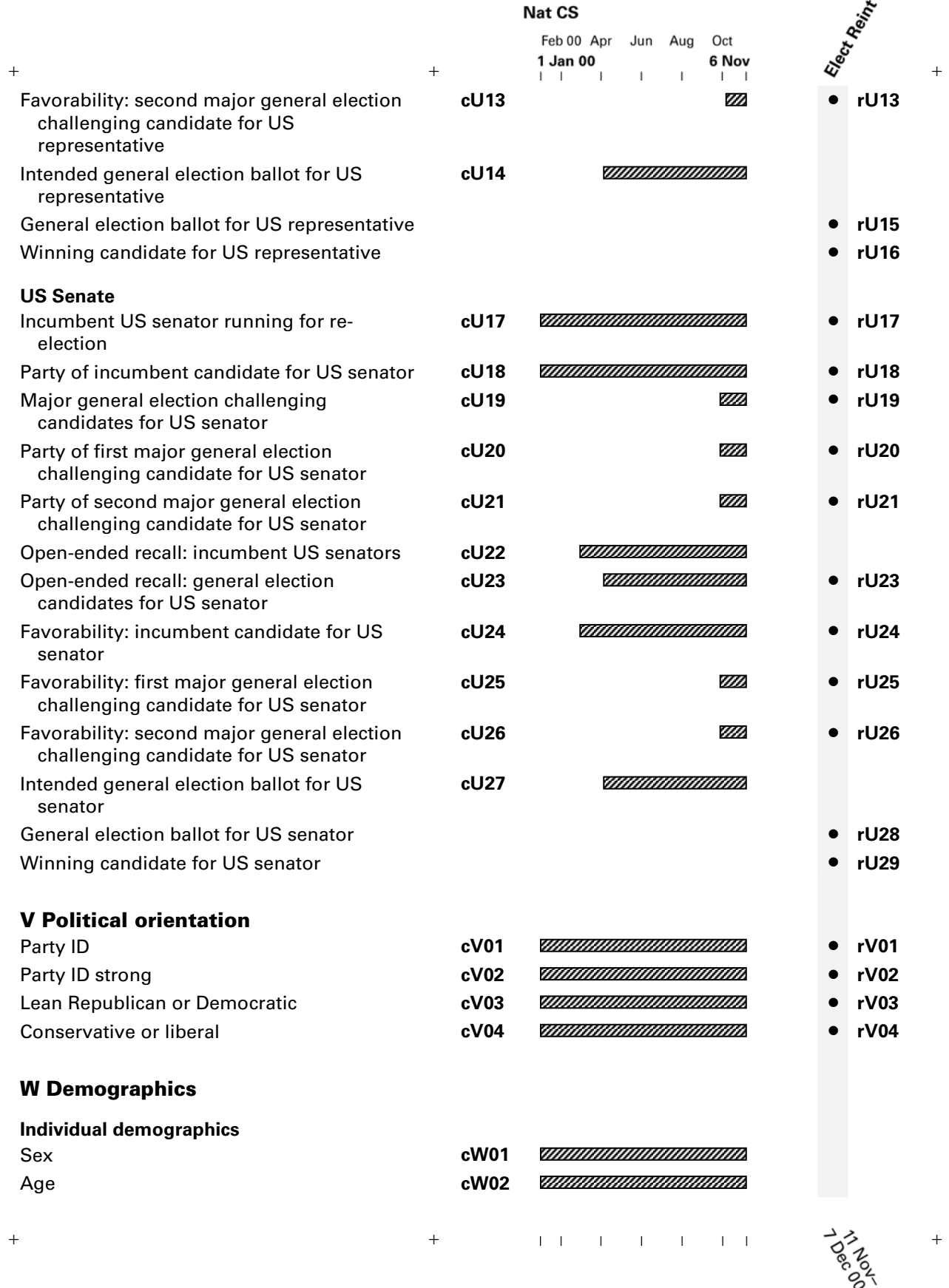
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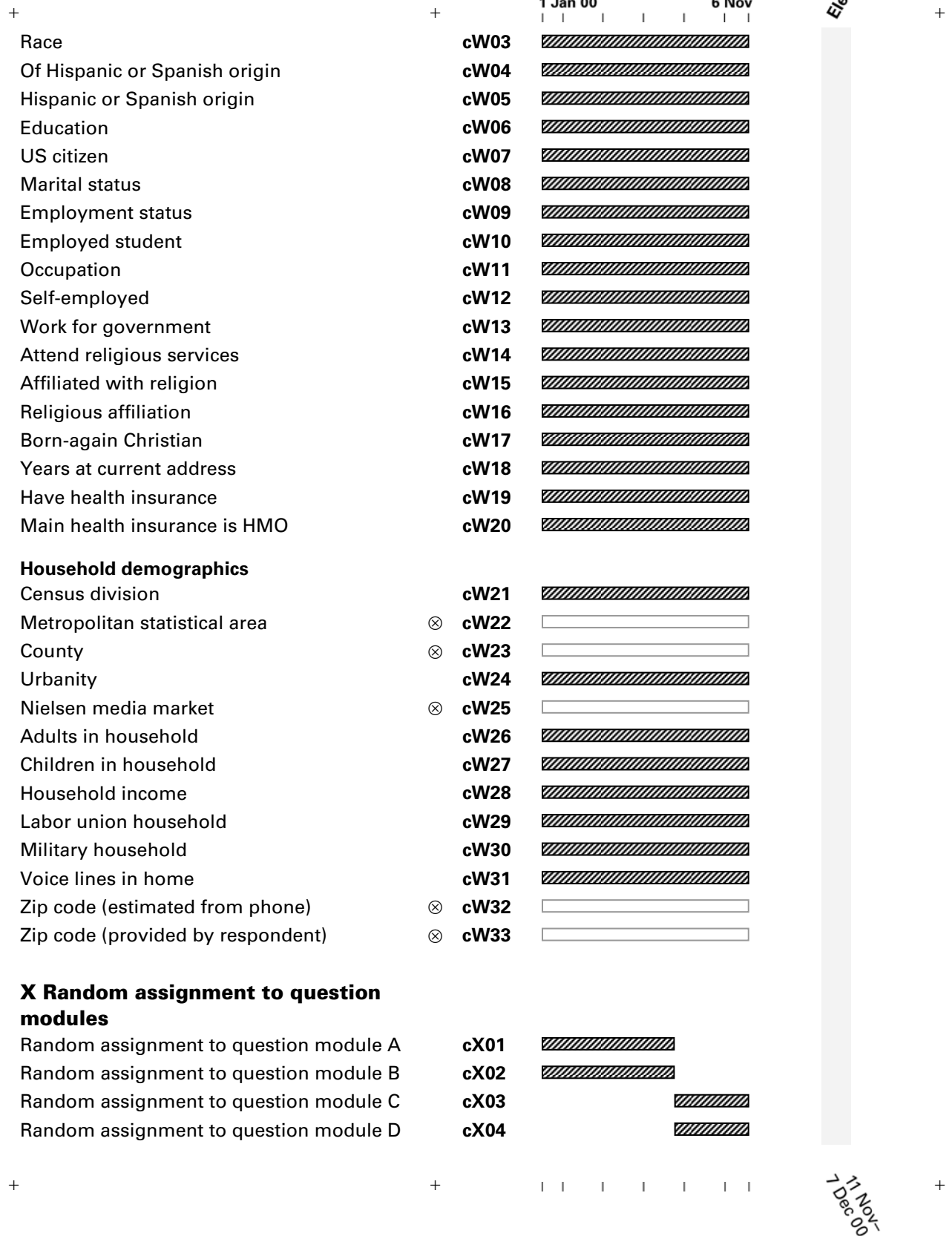
Pre-post general election panel

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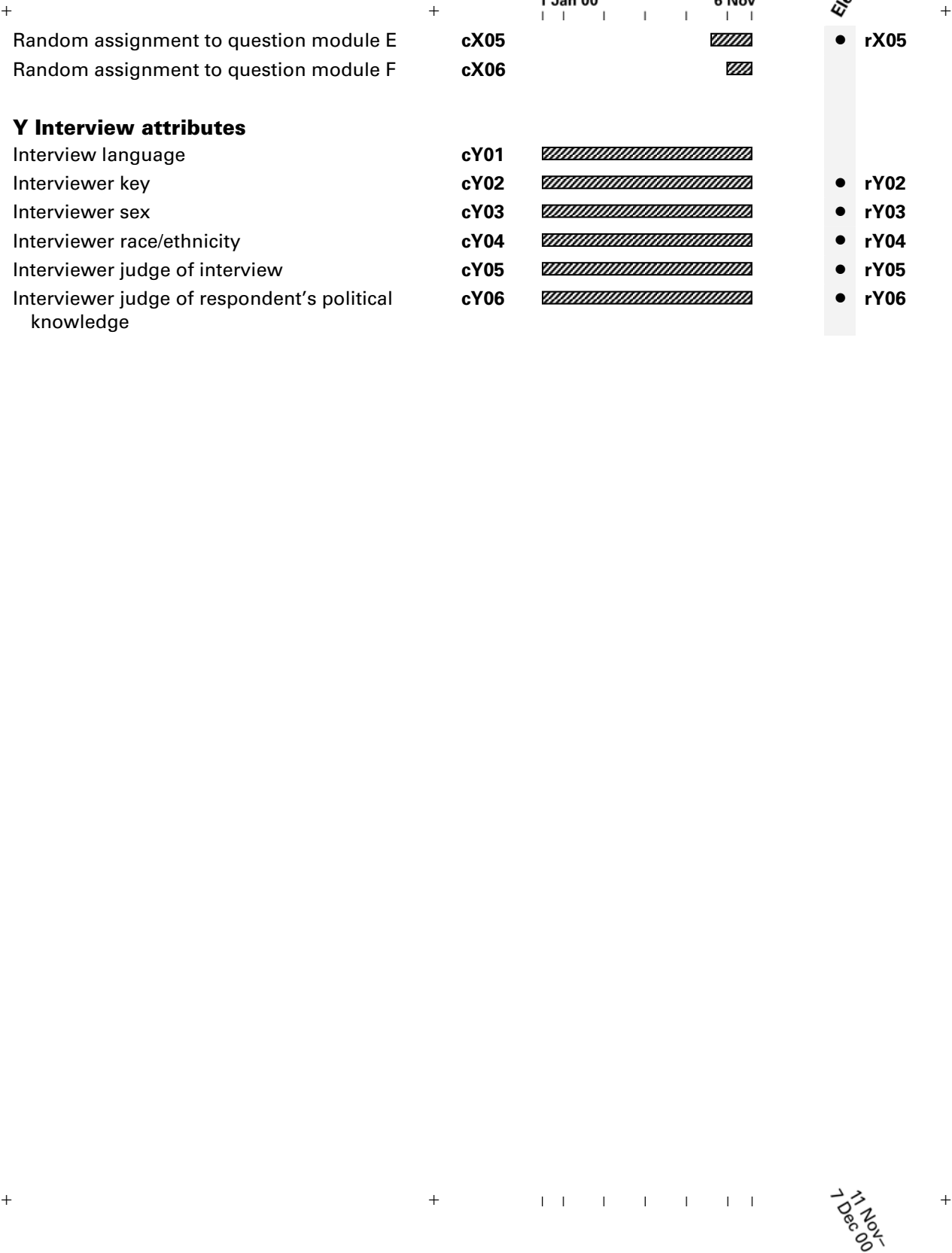


Pre-post general election panel

General election panel : variable summary



Pre-post general election panel



Notes on variables in this section

Interview point (INT) For cross-section studies, cINT indicates the cross-section study. For example, cINT[101] indicates the national cross-section study.

Pre-post campaign event panel studies are pairings of data from cross-section interviews and reinterviews. For panel studies, cINT indicates the cross-section interview point, and rINT indicates the reinterview point. For example, for the pre-post Republican presidential nominating convention panel study, cINT[101] and rINT[601].

Respondent key (KEY) Each respondent is uniquely identified by an 11 digit key. The first three digits of the key indicate the cross-section study of the respondent's initial interview. For example, key 20210055757 indicates that the respondent was initially interviewed as part of the NH pre-presidential primary election cross-section (cINT[202]).

Cross-section interview and reinterview data are matched into panel studies by cKEY and rKEY. For example, respondent 20210055757 was interviewed as part of the NH pre-presidential primary election cross-section and reinterviewed after the primary as part of the pre-post NH presidential primary election panel. In the panel data file cKEY and rKEY are 20210055757.

Date (DATE) and time (TIME) of interview

Date of interview represents the date the interview was completed, in time local to the respondent. Date is recorded in yyyyymmdd format; for example, 20000103 is 3 Jan 00. Time of interview represents the time of the start of interviewing on the day the interview was completed, in eastern time (ET). Time is recorded in hhmm format; 2115 is 9:15 pm.

For a respondent in California, DATE[20000103] and TIME[0015] means the respondent completed the interview after being interviewed starting at 9:15 pm pacific time 3 Jan 00, 12:15 am eastern time 4 Jan 00.

Area code (AC) Area code is derived from sampled phone number, which has been removed from the data files to protect respondent confidentiality. Area code is not

0-2 repeated for reinterview data; it is the same as the area code for paired cross-section data.

State (ST) State is recorded as a two letter abbreviation and is based on sampled phone number. See page 0-5.

+	cINT	Interview point	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS	+	rINT	Interview point	IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	+
	101	National cross-section (Nat CS; 14 Dec 99–19 Jan 01)			401	IA post-presidential primary election reinterview (IA Reint; 26 Jan–17 Feb 00)		
	201	IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section (IA CS; 14 Dec 99–23 Jan 00)			402	NH post-presidential primary election reinterview (NH Reint; 2–27 Feb)		
	202	NH pre-presidential primary election cross-section (NH CS; 14 Dec 99–31 Jan 00)			403	Super Tuesday States post-presidential primary election reinterview (Super Reint; 10 Mar–6 Apr)		
	203	Super Tuesday States pre-presidential primary election cross-section (Super CS; 4 Jan–6 Mar 00)			501	SC post-Republican presidential primary election reinterview (SC Reint; 23 Feb–8 Mar)		
	204	Second Tuesday States pre-presidential primary election cross-section (Sec CS; 28 Feb–13 Mar)			502	MI post-Republican presidential primary election reinterview (MI Reint; 24 Feb–8 Mar)		
	301	SC pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section (SC CS; 1–18 Feb)			601	Post-Republican presidential nominating convention reinterview (GOP Conv Reint; 4–13 Aug)		
	302	MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section (MI CS; 15–21 Feb)			602	Post-Democratic presidential nominating convention reinterview (Dem Conv Reint; 18–27 Aug)		
+	cKEY	Respondent key	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS	+	rKEY	Respondent key	IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	+
+	cDATE	Date of interview (local to respondent)	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS	+	rDATE	Date of interview (local to respondent)	IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	+
+	cTIME	Time of interview (ET)	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS	+	rTIME	Time of interview (ET)	IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	+
+				+				+

Sampling : variable detail	0-4	+	+	+
		cAC ⊗		
		Area code		
		Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS		
		+	+	+

⊗ Restricted-access data (request from APPC)

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cST
State

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

AL	Alabama
AR	Arkansas
AZ	Arizona
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DC	Washington, DC
DE	Delaware
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
IA	Iowa
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
MA	Massachusetts
MD	Maryland
ME	Maine
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MO	Missouri
MS	Mississippi
MT	Montana
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
NE	Nebraska
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey
NM	New Mexico
NV	Nevada
NY	New York
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina
SD	South Dakota
TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VA	Virginia
VT	Vermont
WA	Washington
WI	Wisconsin
WV	West Virginia
WY	Wyoming

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rST
State

 IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint;
 GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

AL	Alabama
AR	Arkansas
AZ	Arizona
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DC	Washington, DC
DE	Delaware
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
IA	Iowa
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
MA	Massachusetts
MD	Maryland
ME	Maine
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MO	Missouri
MS	Mississippi
MT	Montana
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
NE	Nebraska
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey
NM	New Mexico
NV	Nevada
NY	New York
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina
SD	South Dakota
TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VA	Virginia
VT	Vermont
WA	Washington
WI	Wisconsin
WV	West Virginia
WY	Wyoming

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Sampling : variable detail

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In this section are questions measuring evaluations of presidential candidates and their running mates and other political figures.

But see section U for US House and Senate incumbents and candidates.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-1:

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Notes on variables in this section

The core measure is favorability on a zero (unfavorable) to 100 (favorable) scale. In addition, respondents were asked to judge the traits and political ideology of some candidates. (See V04 for the respondent's own political ideology on the same scale.) And respondents were asked to provide a one-word descriptor for some candidates as well as judge what emotions candidates made them feel. See page A-3 for a summary of which key questions were asked about which candidates and political figures.

Candidate name recognition screen: traits, ideology and emotions

- **Through early April**, for questions about candidate traits, ideology and emotions, the respondent base was limited to those who recognized the name of one or more of the candidates referenced in the question. Recognition was derived from favorability ratings, with a rating of zero to 100 counting as recognition, and an answer of "don't know" (codes 101–102) or no answer (999) counting as lack of recognition. For cross-section interviews, this name recognition screen was in effect through 3 Apr; for reinterviews, the screen was in effect for post-primary reinterviews.

Some variables in other sections also make use of this screen. See sections B, D and N.

Lieberman favorability A49 overlaps with U24. See section U.

Random question order: candidate traits

- **Starting early April**, respondents were randomly assigned (AZ01) to be asked questions about Bush's (A02–A08) and Gore's (A12–A18) traits in one of two orders: traits within candidate (Does trait X describe Bush? Does trait Y describe Bush? ... Does trait X describe Gore? Does trait Y describe Gore? ...; AZ01[1]) or candidates within traits (Does trait X describe Bush? Does trait X describe Gore? Does trait Y describe Bush? Does trait Y describe Gore? ...; AZ01[2]). For cross-section interviews, this random question order was in effect 4 Apr–19 Dec 00; for reinterviews, the random order was in effect for post-convention, post-debate and post-general election reinterviews. Other times, all respondents were asked traits within candidates.

Key questions about candidate and politician evaluations

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		Favorability	Traits							Conservative or liberal	One word
			Cares	Honest	Inspiring	Knowledgeable	Hypocritical	Trustworthy	Leadership		
Major presidential candidates	Bush	A01	A02	A03	A04	A05	A06	A07	A08	A09	A10
	Gore	A11	A12	A13	A14	A15	A16	A17	A18	A19	A20
	McCain	A21	A22	A23	A24	A25	A26	A27		A28	A29
	Bradley	A30	A31	A32	A33	A34	A35	A36		A37	A38
	Forbes	A39	A40	A41	A42	A43				A44	
Minor presidential candidates and running mates	Buchanan	A45									A46
	Nader	A47									
	Cheney	A48									
	Lieberman	A49									
	Keyes	A50									
	Bauer	A51									
Other political figures	Bill Clinton	A52									
	Ross Perot	A53									
	Donald Trump	A54									
	Pat Robertson	A55									
	Jeb Bush	A56									
	Colin Powell	A57									

Evaluations of Bush

cA01

Favorability: Bush

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate George W. Bush? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43d

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rA01

Favorability: Bush

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate George W. Bush? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint;
GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

cA02

Cares: Bush

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146a, Q151a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS:
random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100]}

1 Extremely well
2 Quite well
3 Not too well
4 Not well
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rA02

Cares: Bush

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146a, Q151a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC
Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3
Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint;
Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3
of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI
Reint: recognize Bush}

{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint:
rA01[0-100]}

1 Extremely well
2 Quite well
3 Not too well
4 Not well
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cA03

Honest: Bush

Does the word “honest” describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146b, Q152a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cA04

Inspiring: Bush

Does the word “inspiring” describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146c, Q153a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rA03

Honest: Bush

Does the word “honest” describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146b, Q152a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush}

{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rA04

Inspiring: Bush

Does the word “inspiring” describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146c, Q153a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush}

{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cA05

Knowledgeable: Bush

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146d, Q154a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100]}

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cA06

Hypocritical: Bush

Does the word “hypocritical,” that is, does not practice what he preaches describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146e, Q155a

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00, 6 Apr–16 Aug; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; SC CS 1–6 Feb

Limited to {through 6 Feb except SC CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 6 Feb: recognize Bush}
{through 6 Feb: cA01[0-100]}

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rA05

Knowledgeable: Bush

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146d, Q154a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush}
{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100]}

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rA06

Hypocritical: Bush

Does the word “hypocritical,” that is, does not practice what he preaches describe George W. Bush extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q146e, Q155a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint: recognize Bush}
{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100]}

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cA09

Bush conservative or liberal

Which of the following do you think best describes the views of George W. Bush? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00, 5–19 Jan 01; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | 2 Oct–12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100]}

- 1 Very conservative
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Moderate
- 4 Liberal
- 5 Very liberal
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cA10

One word: Bush

What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name George W. Bush? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

- 1 Verbatim (cA10\$)
- 2 Do not recognize name
- 3 Cannot think of word or phrase
- 999 No answer

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rA09

Bush conservative or liberal

Which of the following do you think best describes the views of George W. Bush? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158b

SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

Asked if {SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush}
{SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100]}

- 1 Very conservative
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Moderate
- 4 Liberal
- 5 Very liberal
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rA10

One word: Bush

What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name George W. Bush? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Verbatim (rA10\$)
- 2 Do not recognize name
- 3 Cannot think of word or phrase
- 999 No answer

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Evaluations of Gore

cA11

Favorability: Gore

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Al Gore? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43g

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100

- 101 Do not recognize name
- 102 Cannot rate
- 999 No answer

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cA12

Cares: Gore

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149a, Q151b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99-19 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Gore}
{through 3 Apr: cA11[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rA11

Favorability: Gore

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Al Gore? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43g

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

- 101 Do not recognize name
- 102 Cannot rate
- 999 No answer

rA12

Cares: Gore

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149a, Q151b

IA Reint 27 Jan-17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: recognize Gore}
{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: rA11[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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1	Extremely well
2	Quite well
3	Not too well
4	Not well
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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	cA15		rA15		
	Knowledgeable: Gore		Knowledgeable: Gore		
	Does the word "knowledgeable" describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149d, Q154b		Does the word "knowledgeable" describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149d, Q154b		
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–19 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint		
	Limited to {through 3 Apr: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}		Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}		
	Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Gore} {through 3 Apr: cA11[0-100]}		Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: recognize Gore} {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: rA11[0-100]}		
	1 Extremely well		1 Extremely well		
	2 Quite well		2 Quite well		
	3 Not too well		3 Not too well		
	4 Not well		4 Not well		
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		999 No answer		
	+		+		+
	cA16		rA16		
	Hypocritical: Gore		Hypocritical: Gore		
	Does the word "hypocritical," that is, does not practice what he preaches describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149e, Q155b		Does the word "hypocritical," that is, does not practice what he preaches describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149e, Q155b		
	Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00, 6 Apr–16 Aug; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00		IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint		
	Limited to {through 6 Feb: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}				
	Asked if {through 6 Feb: recognize Gore} {through 6 Feb: cA11[0-100]}		Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint: recognize Gore} {IA Reint; NH Reint: rA11[0-100]}		
	1 Extremely well		1 Extremely well		
	2 Quite well		2 Quite well		
	3 Not too well		3 Not too well		
	4 Not well		4 Not well		
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		999 No answer		
	+		+		+

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cA17

Trustworthy: Gore

Does the word “trustworthy” describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149f, Q156b

Nat CS 7 Feb–3 Apr, 25 Aug–25 Sep; Super CS 7 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Gore}
{through 3 Apr: cA11[0-100]}

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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cA18

Leadership: Gore

Does the phrase “provides strong leadership” describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149g, Q157b

Nat CS 17 Aug–19 Dec 00

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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rA17

Trustworthy: Gore

Does the word “trustworthy” describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149f

Super Reint

Limited to random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]

Asked if recognize Gore
rA11[0-100]

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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rA18

Leadership: Gore

Does the phrase “provides strong leadership” describe Al Gore extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q149g, Q157b

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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A-13

A-14

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	cA19		rA19	
	Gore conservative or liberal		Gore conservative or liberal	
	Which of the following do you think best describes the views of Al Gore? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158d		Which of the following do you think best describes the views of Al Gore? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158d	
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	Limited to {through 3 Apr: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}		Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}	
	Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Gore}			
	{through 3 Apr: cA11[0-100]}			
	1 Very conservative		1 Very conservative	
	2 Conservative		2 Conservative	
	3 Moderate		3 Moderate	
	4 Liberal		4 Liberal	
	5 Very liberal		5 Very liberal	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
+		+		+
	cA20		rA20	
	One word: Gore		One word: Gore	
	What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name Al Gore? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35d		What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name Al Gore? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35d	
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint	
	Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[1] starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}			
	1 Verbatim (cA20\$)		1 Verbatim (rA20\$)	
	2 Do not recognize name		2 Do not recognize name	
	3 Cannot think of word or phrase		3 Cannot think of word or phrase	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
+		+		+

Evaluations of McCain

cA21

Favorability: McCain

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate John McCain? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43i

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–24 Jul 00, 31 Jul–27 Nov 00, 12–13 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rA21

Favorability: McCain

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate John McCain? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43i

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

cA22

Cares: McCain

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if recognize McCain

cA21[0-100]

1 Extremely well
2 Quite well
3 Not too well
4 Not well
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rA22

Cares: McCain

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

1 Extremely well
2 Quite well
3 Not too well
4 Not well
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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+	<div><div>cA23</div><div>Honest: McCain</div><div>Does the word “honest” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150b</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</div><div>Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>cA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+
+	<div><div>rA23</div><div>Honest: McCain</div><div>Does the word “honest” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150b</div><div>IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint</div><div>Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>rA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+
+	<div><div>cA24</div><div>Inspiring: McCain</div><div>Does the word “inspiring” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150c</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</div><div>Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>cA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+
+	<div><div>rA24</div><div>Inspiring: McCain</div><div>Does the word “inspiring” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150c</div><div>IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint</div><div>Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>rA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+

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cA25

Knowledgeable: McCain

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if recognize McCain

cA21[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cA26

Hypocritical: McCain

Does the word “hypocritical,” that is, does not practice what he preaches describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150e

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; SC CS 1–6 Feb

Limited to {except SC CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}

Asked if recognize McCain

cA21[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rA25

Knowledgeable: McCain

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150d

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rA26

Hypocritical: McCain

Does the word “hypocritical,” that is, does not practice what he preaches describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150e

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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+	<div><div>cA27</div><div>Trustworthy: McCain</div><div>Does the word “trustworthy” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150f</div><div>Nat CS 7 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 7 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 7–18 Feb; MI CS</div><div>Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>cA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+	+
	<div><div>cA28</div><div>McCain conservative or liberal</div><div>Which of the following do you think best describes the views of John McCain? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158e</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</div><div>Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>cA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Very conservative</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Conservative</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Moderate</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Liberal</div></div><div><div>5</div><div>Very liberal</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>		
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+	<div><div>rA27</div><div>Trustworthy: McCain</div><div>Does the word “trustworthy” describe John McCain extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q150f</div><div>Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint</div><div>Limited to {Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]}</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>rA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+	+
	<div><div>rA28</div><div>McCain conservative or liberal</div><div>Which of the following do you think best describes the views of John McCain? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158e</div><div>SC Reint; MI Reint</div><div>Asked if recognize McCain</div><div>rA21[0-100]</div><div><div>1</div><div>Very conservative</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Conservative</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Moderate</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Liberal</div></div><div><div>5</div><div>Very liberal</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>		
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cA29**One word: McCain**

What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name John McCain? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[1]}

- 1 Verbatim (cA29\$)
- 2 Do not recognize name
- 3 Cannot think of word or phrase
- 999 No answer

rA29**One word: McCain**

What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name John McCain? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35e

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Verbatim (rA29\$)
- 2 Do not recognize name
- 3 Cannot think of word or phrase
- 999 No answer

Evaluations of Bradley**cA30****Favorability: Bradley**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Bill Bradley? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–24 Jul 00, 31 Jul–27 Nov 00, 12–13 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- Range 0-100
- 101 Do not recognize name
 - 102 Cannot rate
 - 999 No answer

rA30**Favorability: Bradley**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Bill Bradley? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

- Range 0-100
- 101 Do not recognize name
 - 102 Cannot rate
 - 999 No answer

cA31**Cares: Bradley**

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]

Asked if recognize Bradley
cA30[0-100]

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rA31**Cares: Bradley**

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147a

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint

Limited to random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]

Asked if recognize Bradley
rA30[0-100]

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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+	<div><div>cA32</div><div>Honest: Bradley</div><div>Does the word “honest” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147b</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar</div><div>Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]</div><div>Asked if recognize Bradley</div><div>cA30[0-100]</div><div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div></div>	+
+	<div><div>rA32</div><div>Honest: Bradley</div><div>Does the word “honest” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147b</div><div>IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint</div><div>Limited to random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]</div><div>Asked if recognize Bradley</div><div>rA30[0-100]</div><div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div></div>	+
+	<div><div>cA33</div><div>Inspiring: Bradley</div><div>Does the word “inspiring” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147c</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar</div><div>Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]</div><div>Asked if recognize Bradley</div><div>cA30[0-100]</div><div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div></div>	+
+	<div><div>rA33</div><div>Inspiring: Bradley</div><div>Does the word “inspiring” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147c</div><div>IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint</div><div>Limited to random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]</div><div>Asked if recognize Bradley</div><div>rA30[0-100]</div><div><div><div>1</div><div>Extremely well</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Quite well</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Not too well</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>Not well</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don’t know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div></div>	+

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cA34

Knowledgeable: Bradley

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]

Asked if recognize Bradley

cA30[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cA35

Hypocritical: Bradley

Does the word “hypocritical,” that is, does not practice what he preaches describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147e

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]

Asked if recognize Bradley

cA30[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rA34

Knowledgeable: Bradley

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147d

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint; Super Reint

Limited to random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]

Asked if recognize Bradley

rA30[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rA35

Hypocritical: Bradley

Does the word “hypocritical,” that is, does not practice what he preaches describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147e

IA Reint 27 Jan–17 Feb 00; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Bradley

rA30[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | Extremely well |
| 2 | Quite well |
| 3 | Not too well |
| 4 | Not well |
| 998 | Don’t know |
| 999 | No answer |

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A-22

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	cA36		rA36	
	Trustworthy: Bradley		Trustworthy: Bradley	
	Does the word “trustworthy” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147f		Does the word “trustworthy” describe Bill Bradley extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q147f	
	Nat CS 7 Feb–8 Mar; Super CS 7 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar		Super Reint	
	Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]		Limited to random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1-2]	
	Asked if recognize Bradley		Asked if recognize Bradley	
	<i>cA30[0-100]</i>		<i>rA30[0-100]</i>	
	1 Extremely well		1 Extremely well	
	2 Quite well		2 Quite well	
	3 Not too well		3 Not too well	
	4 Not well		4 Not well	
	998 Don’t know		998 Don’t know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
+		+		+
	cA37			
	Bradley conservative or liberal			
	Which of the following do you think best describes the views of Bill Bradley? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158a			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar			
	Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2]			
	Asked if recognize Bradley			
	<i>cA30[0-100]</i>			
	1 Very conservative			
	2 Conservative			
	3 Moderate			
	4 Liberal			
	5 Very liberal			
	998 Don’t know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cA38		rA38	
	One word: Bradley		One word: Bradley	
	What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name Bill Bradley? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35a		What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name Bill Bradley? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35a	
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar		IA Reint; NH Reint	
	Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[1]			
	1 Verbatim (cA38\$)		1 Verbatim (rA38\$)	
	2 Do not recognize name		2 Do not recognize name	
	3 Cannot think of word or phrase		3 Cannot think of word or phrase	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
+		+		+

Evaluations of Forbes

cA39

Favorability: Forbes

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Steve Forbes? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rA39

Favorability: Forbes

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Steve Forbes? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43f

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

cA40

Cares: Forbes

Does the phrase "really cares about people like me" describe Steve Forbes extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q148a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; Super CS 4–12 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]

Asked if recognize Forbes

cA39[0-100]

1 Extremely well
2 Quite well
3 Not too well
4 Not well
998 Don't know
999 No answer

A-24

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	cA41			
	Honest: Forbes			
	Does the word "honest" describe Steve Forbes extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q148b			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; Super CS 4–12 Jan 00			
	Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]			
	Asked if recognize Forbes			
	<i>cA39[0-100]</i>			
	1 Extremely well			
	2 Quite well			
	3 Not too well			
	4 Not well			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cA42			
	Inspiring: Forbes			
	Does the word "inspiring" describe Steve Forbes extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q148c			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; Super CS 4–12 Jan 00			
	Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]			
	Asked if recognize Forbes			
	<i>cA39[0-100]</i>			
	1 Extremely well			
	2 Quite well			
	3 Not too well			
	4 Not well			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+

cA43

Knowledgeable: Forbes

Does the word “knowledgeable” describe Steve Forbes extremely well, quite well, not too or not well at all? Q148d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; Super CS 4–12 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[3]

Asked if recognize Forbes

cA39[0-100]

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Quite well
- 3 Not too well
- 4 Not well
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

cA44

Forbes conservative or liberal

Which of the following do you think best describes the views of Steve Forbes? Very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal? Q158c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; Super CS 4–12 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2]

Asked if recognize Forbes

cA39[0-100]

- 1 Very conservative
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Moderate
- 4 Liberal
- 5 Very liberal
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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Evaluations of Buchanan

cA45

Favorability: Buchanan

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Pat Buchanan? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Range 0-100

- 101 Do not recognize name
- 102 Cannot rate
- 999 No answer

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cA46

One word: Buchanan

What word or phrase first comes to mind when you hear the name Pat Buchanan? (Follow with) What comes to mind next? Q35b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

- 1 Verbatim (cA46\$)
- 2 Do not recognize name
- 3 Cannot think of word or phrase
- 999 No answer

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Evaluations of Nader

cA47

Favorability: Nader

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Ralph Nader? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43ao

Nat CS 30 May–27 Nov 00, 12 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Range 0-100

- 101 Do not recognize name
- 102 Cannot rate
- 999 No answer

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rA45

Favorability: Buchanan

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Pat Buchanan? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

- 101 Do not recognize name
- 102 Cannot rate
- 999 No answer

rA47

Favorability: Nader

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Ralph Nader? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43ao

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

- 101 Do not recognize name
- 102 Cannot rate
- 999 No answer

Evaluations of vice presidential candidates

cA48

Favorability: Cheney

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Dick Cheney? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43ap

Nat CS 25 Jul 00–19 Jan 01

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rA48

Favorability: Cheney

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Dick Cheney? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43ap

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

cA49

Favorability: Lieberman

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Joe Lieberman? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43n

Nat CS 7 Aug 00–19 Jan 01

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rA49

Favorability: Lieberman

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Joe Lieberman? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43aq

GOP Conv Reint 7–13 Aug; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

Evaluations of other presidential candidates

cA50

Favorability: Keyes

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Alan Keyes? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43h

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rA50

Favorability: Keyes

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Alan Keyes? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43h

SC Reint; MI Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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	cA51			
	Favorability: Bauer			
	On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Gary Bauer? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43a			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99-9 Feb 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS 4 Jan-9 Feb 00; SC CS 1-9 Feb			
	Range 0-100			
	101 Do not recognize name			
	102 Cannot rate			
	999 No answer			
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	Evaluations of other political figures			
	cA52		rA52	
	Favorability: Bill Clinton		Favorability: Bill Clinton	
	On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Bill Clinton? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43e		On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Bill Clinton? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43e	
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS		SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	Range 0-100		Range 0-100	
	101 Do not recognize name		101 Do not recognize name	
	102 Cannot rate		102 Cannot rate	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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	cA53			
	Favorability: Perot			
	On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Ross Perot? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43j			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99-24 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS			
	Range 0-100			
	101 Do not recognize name			
	102 Cannot rate			
	999 No answer			
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cA54**Favorability: Trump**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Donald Trump? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43k

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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cA55**Favorability: Robertson**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Pat Robertson? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43am

Nat CS 2 Mar–6 Nov 00; Super CS 2–6 Mar; Sec CS 2–13 Mar

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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rA55**Favorability: Robertson**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Pat Robertson? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43am

Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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cA56**Favorability: Jeb Bush**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Jeb Bush? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43ar

Nat CS 8–19 Dec 00

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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cA57

Favorability: Powell

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Colin Powell? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43as

Nat CS 15 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name

102 Cannot rate

999 No answer

Questioning unique to reinterviews

rA58

Bush or McCain true reformer

Both George W. Bush and John McCain call themselves reformers. Who do you think is the true reformer, George W. Bush or John McCain? Q261

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain

rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]

- 1 Bush
- 2 McCain
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rA59

Anxious: Bush

Does George W. Bush make you feel anxious very much, somewhat, a little or not at all? Q159a

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush

rA01[0-100]

- 1 Very much
- 2 Somewhat
- 3 Little
- 4 Not at all
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rA60

Enthusiastic: Bush

Does George W. Bush make you feel enthusiastic very much, somewhat, a little or not at all?
Q159b

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush

rA01[0-100]

- 1 Very much
- 2 Somewhat
- 3 Little
- 4 Not at all
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rA61

Anxious: McCain

Does John McCain make you feel anxious very much, somewhat, a little or not at all? Q160a

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

- 1 Very much
- 2 Somewhat
- 3 Little
- 4 Not at all
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rA62

Enthusiastic: McCain

Does John McCain make you feel enthusiastic very much, somewhat, a little or not at all?
Q160b

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

- 1 Very much
- 2 Somewhat
- 3 Little
- 4 Not at all
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Random order

cAZ01

Random question order for candidate traits

Q145

Nat CS 4 Apr-19 Dec 00

- 1 Traits within candidates
- 2 Candidates within traits

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rAZ01

Random question order for candidate traits

Q145

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Traits within candidates
- 2 Candidates within traits

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In this section are questions about policy issues. Most of these questions are of one of four types:

- the respondent's own positions on policy issues;
- perceptions of presidential candidates' positions on policy issues, including past positions;
- evaluations of candidates' competencies in policy areas;
- perceptions of background facts relevant to policy issues.

The variables in this section are organized first by major policy area (e.g., taxes, abortion); second by policy sub-issue, if applicable (e.g., flat tax, RU-486); and third by question type (respondent's own policy positions, candidates' positions, candidates' competencies, background facts). See page B-3 for a summary of key questions by policy area and question type.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-3:

Cross-section studies	page ii-3
IA, NH, Super Tuesday primary panels	44
SC, MI primary panels	70
Convention panels	84
Debate panels	99
General election panel	125

Notes on variables in this section: respondent's own policy positions

Question structure Many of the questions about the respondent's own policy positions are of one of five structures:

- How serious of a problem is X?
- Should the federal government do X?
- How much effort should the federal government put into X?
- How much money should the federal government spend on X?
- Do you favor or oppose X?

See page B-6 for a summary of key questions asked about the respondent's own policy positions by policy area and question structure.

Random question assignment: inheritance tax
Respondents were randomly assigned (BZ02) to be asked one of two questions about their own position on the inheritance tax. The tax was described as one either some Americans (BB11, BZ02[1]) or Americans who inherit more than a million dollars (BB12, BZ02[2]) must pay.

Perceptions of presidential candidates' policy positions

- **Through early spring**, respondents were asked about Bush's policy positions in comparison with McCain's (see also Forbes below), and Gore's relative to Bradley's. For cross-section interviews, this line of questioning was in effect through 8 Mar for questions about Gore and Bradley, through 3 Apr for questions about Bush and McCain. For reinterviews, this line of questioning was in effect for IA and NH post-primary reinterviews for Gore and Bradley; IA, NH, Super Tuesday, SC and MI post-primary reinterviews for Bush and McCain.
- Questions comparing Bush's and McCain's policy positions also asked about Forbes, prior to the end of his candidacy. For cross-section interviews, questioning about Forbes' policy positions continued through 13 Feb; for reinterviews, Forbes was referenced in these questions for IA and NH post-primary reinterviews.
- **Starting early April**, respondents were asked about Bush's positions in comparison with Gore's. For cross-section interviews, this line of questioning was in effect starting 4 Apr; for reinterviews, this line of questioning was in effect for post-convention, post-debate and post-general election reinterviews.
- **After the general election** (starting 8 Nov 00), questions about Bush's and Gore's policy positions were asked in the past tense, referencing the campaign (e.g., During the campaign, did Bush favor or oppose X?).

Candidate name recognition screen

- **Through early April**, questions about candidates' policy positions and competencies were limited to respondents who recognized at least one of the candidates in the question. For cross-section interviews, this name recognition screen was in effect through 3 Apr; for reinterviews, the screen was in effect for post-primary

reinterviews. Recognition was derived from favorability ratings. See section A.

Question structure: Bush's and Gore's positions Many of the questions about Bush's and Gore's policy positions are of one of four structures:

- Does Bush favor or oppose X?
- Does Gore favor or oppose X?
- Who X? Bush, Gore, both or neither?
- Does Bush or Gore X?

See page B-7 for a summary of key questions asked about Bush's and Gore's policy positions by policy area and question structure.

Random assignment to question structure: Bush's and Gore's positions

- **Through 7 Sep**, respondents were randomly assigned (BZ01) to be asked about Bush's and Gore's positions either separately (Does Bush favor or oppose X? Does Gore favor or oppose X?, BZ01[1]) or in direct comparison (Who X? Bush, Gore, both or neither?, BZ01[2]).

Random response orders: Bush's and Gore's positions

- **Starting 8 Sep**, for questions asked about if Bush favors or opposes policies and if Gore favors or opposes policies, the orders in which favor and oppose were read as response options were randomized, and these orders are recorded in BZ03–BZ07. Through 7 Sep, favor was read before oppose for all respondents.

Candidates' policy competencies

Candidate name recognition screen See candidates' policy positions above.

Background facts

Random question assignment

- **Through 20 Jan 00**, respondents were randomly assigned to be asked four of eight questions about background facts relevant to policy issues (BA10, BA11, BA12, BB16, BB19, BE03, BF12, BK02).

Key questions about policy issues, by policy area and question type

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		Respondent's own positions	Candidates' positions			Candidates' competencies	Background facts
			Bush, McCain, Forbes	Gore, Bradley	Bush, Gore		
Economy (BA)		BA01 BA02 BA03 BA04 BA05 BA06				BA07	BA10 BA11 BA12
Taxes (BB)	In general	BB01	BB02		BB03 BB04		
	Tradeoffs	BB05 BB06 BB07			BB08 BB09		
	Taxes for rich and inheritance tax	BB10 BB11 BB12					
	Flat tax	BB13	BB14				
	Ethanol tax breaks		BB15				BB16
	Other			BB17	BB18		BB19
Social Security (BC)	In general	BC01	BC02		BC03	BC04	
	Allowing investments in stock market	BC05 BC06			BC07 BC08 BC09		
	Other		BC10				
Education (BD)	School vouchers	BD01 BD02	BD03	BD04	BD05 BD06 BD07 BD08		
	Other	BD09		BD10		BD11	
Health insurance (BE)	In general	BE01 BE02					BE03
	Medicare and seniors' prescriptions	BE04 BE05			BE06 BE07		
	Universal health care for children	BE08			BE09 BE10 BE11		
	Tax reductions for health care		BE12		BE13		
	Suing HMOs and patients' rights	BE14 BE15	BE16	BE17	BE18 BE19 BE20		
	Other	BE21		BE22			

Policy issues : variable detail

Key questions about policy issues, by policy area and question type

		Respondent's own positions	Candidates' positions			Candidates' competencies	Background facts
			Bush, McCain, Forbes	Gore, Bradley	Bush, Gore		
Abortion (BF)	In general	BF01 BF02 BF03	BF04 BF05 BF06 BF07	BF08	BF09 BF10 BF11		BF12
	RU-486	BF13			BF14		
Crime (BG)	Death penalty	BG01			BG02 BG03 BG04		
	Gun control	BG05 BG06	BG07		BG08 BG09 BG10 BG11		
	Other	BG12 BG13					
Money in politics (BH)	Contribution limits and soft money ban	BH01 BH02	BH03		BH04 BH05 BH06		
	Public campaign financing	BH07		BH08			
	Other					BH09	
National defense (BJ)	In general					BJ01 BJ02	
	Missile defense	BJ03	BJ04				
	Nuclear test ban treaty		BJ05	BJ06			
	Scope of military	BJ07 BJ08					
	Other		BJ10			BJ09	
Immigration (BK)		BK01					BK02
Gay rights (BL)	Gays in military	BL01			BL02 BL03 BL04		
	Other	BL05	BL06				
Other civil rights (BM)		BM01 BM02					
Energy (BN)		BN01			BN02 BN03		
Poverty (BP)		BP01 BP02 BP03					
Elian Gonzalez (BQ)		BQ02					

Key questions about policy issues, by policy area and question type

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	Respondent's own positions	Candidates' positions			Candidates' competencies	Background facts
		Bush, McCain, Forbes	Gore, Bradley	Bush, Gore		
SC Confederate flag (BR)	BR01	BR02 BR03				
Environment (BS)	BS01					
Other (BT)	BT01 BT02 BT03	BT04	BT05			

Policy issues : variable detail

**Key questions about respondent's own positions on policy issues,
by policy area and question structure**

	How serious of a problem is X?	Should the federal government do X?	How much effort should the federal government put into X?	How much money should the federal government spend on X?	Do you favor or oppose X?
Taxes	BB01	BB10 BB13			
Social Security				BC01	BC05
Education		BD02		BD09	BD01
Health insurance	BE01		BE15	BE02 BE04 BE21	BE08 BE14
Abortion		BF02 BF03			BF01 BF13
Crime	BG12 BG13		BG06		BG01 BG05
Money in politics		BH01		BH07	BH02
National defense		BJ08		BJ03 BJ07	
Immigration	BK01				
Gay rights			BL05		BL01
Other civil rights			BM01 BM02		
Energy					BN01
Poverty	BP01	BP02		BP03	
Environment			BS01		
Other	BT02	BT03	BT01		

**Key questions about Bush's and Gore's positions on policy issues,
by policy issue and question structure**

		Does Bush favor or oppose X?	Does Gore favor or oppose X?	Who X? Bush, Gore, both or neither?	Does Bush or Gore X?
Taxes	In general				BB03
	Tradeoffs				BB08 BB09
	Other				BB18
Social Security	In general				BC03
	Allowing investments in stock market	BC07	BC08	BC09	
Education	School vouchers	BD05	BD06	BD07	
Health insurance	Universal health care for children	BE09	BE10	BE11	
	Tax reductions for health care				BE13
	Suing HMOs and patients' rights	BE18	BE19	BE20	
Abortion	In general	BF09	BF10	BF11	
	RU-486			BF14	
Crime	Death penalty	BG02	BG03	BG04	
	Gun control	BG08	BG09	BG10 BG11	
Money in politics	Contribution limits and soft money ban	BH04	BH05	BH06	
Gay rights	Gays in military	BL02	BL03	BL04	
Energy		BN02	BN03		

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cB01

Most important problem

In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing our country today? Q36

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

1 Verbatim (cB01\$)
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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BA Economy

cBA01

Economic conditions in US positive today

How would you rate economic conditions in this country today? Would you say they are excellent, good, only fair or poor? Q52

Nat CS 4 Apr-12 Dec 00, 20 Dec 00-19 Jan 01

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cBA02

Personal economic condition positive today

How would you rate your own personal economic situation today? Is it excellent, good, only fair or poor? Q54

Nat CS 4 Apr-12 Dec 00, 20 Dec 00-19 Jan 01

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rB01

Most important problem

In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing our country today? Q36

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

1 Verbatim (rB01\$)
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rBA01

Economic conditions in US positive today

How would you rate economic conditions in this country today? Would you say they are excellent, good, only fair or poor? Q52

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rBA02

Personal economic condition positive today

How would you rate your own personal economic situation today? Is it excellent, good, only fair or poor? Q54

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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Policy issues : variable detail

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	cBA03		rBA03	
	Federal policies improved economic conditions in US over past year		Federal policies improved economic conditions in US over past year	
	Over the past year, would you say that the economic policies of the federal government have made the nation's economy better, worse, or haven't they made much difference either way? Q53		Over the past year, would you say that the economic policies of the federal government have made the nation's economy better, worse, or haven't they made much difference either way? Q53	
	Nat CS 4 Apr-12 Dec 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	1 Better		1 Better	
	2 Worse		2 Worse	
	3 No difference		3 No difference	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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	cBA04		rBA04	
	Federal policies improved personal economic condition over past year		Federal policies improved personal economic condition over past year	
	Over the past year, would you say that the economic policies of the federal government have made your own personal economic situation better, worse, or haven't they made much difference either way? Q55		Over the past year, would you say that the economic policies of the federal government have made your own personal economic situation better, worse, or haven't they made much difference either way? Q55	
	Nat CS 4 Apr-12 Dec 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	1 Better		1 Better	
	2 Worse		2 Worse	
	3 No difference		3 No difference	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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	cBA05			
	Economic conditions in US better in one year			
	Thinking about one year from now, do you think economic conditions in the country will be a lot better than they are right now, better, the same, worse or a lot worse? Q58			
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00-19 Jan 01			
	1 A lot better			
	2 Better			
	3 Same			
	4 Worse			
	5 A lot worse			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cBA06**Personal economic condition better in one year**

In a year from now, do you think your personal economic situation will be a lot better than it is right now, better, the same, worse or a lot worse? Q59

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 A lot better
- 2 Better
- 3 Same
- 4 Worse
- 5 A lot worse
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBA07**Bush or Gore better at keeping economy strong**

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of keeping the economy strong, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45a

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX06[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBA07**Bush or Gore better at keeping economy strong**

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of keeping the economy strong, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45a

Nat CS 24 Aug–6 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBA08**Clinton or GOP Congress deserves credit for surplus**

Who do you think deserves more of the credit for the federal budget surplus, the Clinton administration or the Republicans in Congress? Q57

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX06[1]

- 1 Clinton administration
- 2 Republicans in Congress
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBA08**Clinton or GOP Congress deserves credit for surplus**

Who do you think deserves more of the credit for the federal budget surplus, the Clinton administration or the Republicans in Congress? Q57

Nat CS 8 Sep–6 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[1]}

- 1 Clinton administration
- 2 Republicans in Congress
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cBA09		rBA09	
	GOP or Democrats would better handle economy		GOP or Democrats would better handle economy	
	Who do you think would do a better job of handling the nation's economy? The Republicans or the Democrats, or wouldn't there be any difference between them? Q56		Who do you think would do a better job of handling the nation's economy? The Republicans or the Democrats, or wouldn't there be any difference between them? Q56	
	Nat CS 4 Apr-6 Nov 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint	
	1 Republicans		1 Republicans	
	2 Democrats		2 Democrats	
	3 No difference		3 No difference	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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	cBA10			
	Minimum wage amount			
	Is the minimum wage per hour \$4.50, \$5.15, \$6.35 or \$7.10? Q118			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99-20 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99-20 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99-20 Jan 00; Super CS 4-20 Jan 00			
	Limited to random 1/2 of sample			
	1 \$4.50			
	2 \$5.15			
	3 \$6.35			
	4 \$7.10			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cBA11			
	Inflation rate in first eight months of 1999			
	Over the first eight months of 1999, was the inflation rate 1.6%, 2%, 2.6% or 3.2%? Q119			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99-20 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99-20 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99-20 Jan 00; Super CS 4-20 Jan 00			
	Limited to random 1/2 of sample			
	1 1.6%			
	2 2%			
	3 2.6%			
	4 3.2%			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cBA12**US trade deficit in first half of 1999 higher than in 1998**

Is the US trade deficit in the first half of 1999 higher, lower or about the same as last year's? Q122

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; Super CS 4–20 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample

- 1 Higher
- 2 Lower
- 3 Same
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BB Taxes, in general**cBB01****Tax rates a problem**

The amount of money Americans pay in taxes— is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q37c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBB01**Tax rates a problem**

The amount of money Americans pay in taxes— is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q37c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBB02**Bush or McCain would cut taxes more**

Both George W. Bush and John McCain have said what they will do about taxes. Who do you think will cut taxes more, Bush or McCain? Q256

Nat CS 21 Jan–3 Apr 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]

- 1 Bush
- 2 McCain
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBB02**Bush or McCain would cut taxes more**

Both George W. Bush and John McCain have said what they will do about taxes. Who do you think will cut taxes more, Bush or McCain? Q256

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain
rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]

- 1 Bush
- 2 McCain
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cBB03		rBB03	
	Bush or Gore favors biggest tax cut		Bush or Gore favors biggest tax cut	
	To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors starting 8 Nov 00: favored} the biggest tax cut, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100a		To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors starting 8 Nov 00: favored} the biggest tax cut, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100a	
	Nat CS 6 Apr–10 Dec 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}		Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}	
	1 Bush		1 Bush	
	2 Gore		2 Gore	
	3 No difference		3 No difference	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
+		+		+
	cBB04			
	Bush promise on taxes			
	To the best of your knowledge, during the campaign, what did President-elect Bush promise to do about taxes? Did he promise to cut taxes across the board for all taxpayers, promise to make some targeted tax cuts or not make any campaign promises about taxes? Q127			
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Cut taxes for all			
	2 Targeted tax cuts			
	3 No promises about taxes			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	BB Taxes, tradeoffs			
	cBB05		rBB05	
	Favor cutting taxes or strengthening Social Security		Favor cutting taxes or strengthening Social Security	
	Which do you personally think is more important, cutting taxes or strengthening the Social Security system? Q97		Which do you personally think is more important, cutting taxes or strengthening the Social Security system? Q97	
	Nat CS 4 Apr 00–19 Jan 01		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	1 Cutting taxes		1 Cutting taxes	
	2 Strengthening Social Security		2 Strengthening Social Security	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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cBB06**Favor cutting taxes or strengthening Medicare**

Which do you personally think is more important, cutting taxes or strengthening the Medicare program? Q99

Nat CS 2 Oct 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Cutting taxes
- 2 Strengthening Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBB07**Favor cutting taxes or paying national debt**

Which do you personally think is more important, cutting taxes or paying down the national debt? Q98

Nat CS 11 Sep 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Cutting taxes
- 2 Paying national debt
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBB08**Bush or Gore favors using Medicare surplus to cut taxes**

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors | starting 8 Nov 00: favored} using some of the Medicare surplus to cut taxes, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100f

Nat CS 2 Oct–10 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBB06**Favor cutting taxes or strengthening Medicare**

Which do you personally think is more important, cutting taxes or strengthening the Medicare program? Q99

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Cutting taxes
- 2 Strengthening Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBB07**Favor cutting taxes or paying national debt**

Which do you personally think is more important, cutting taxes or paying down the national debt? Q98

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Cutting taxes
- 2 Paying national debt
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBB08**Bush or Gore favors using Medicare surplus to cut taxes**

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors | starting 8 Nov 00: favored} using some of the Medicare surplus to cut taxes, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100f

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Bush or Gore favors paying down debt most

Nat CS 11 Sep–10 Dec 00

1	Bush
2	Gore
3	No difference
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cBB10

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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Bush or Gore favors paying down debt most

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

1	Bush
2	Gore
3	No difference
998	Don't know
999	No answer

 $+$

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem
Conv Reint; Elect Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cBB11**Inheritance tax should be cut for some Americans**

Some Americans must pay taxes on whatever they inherit. Some people say this inheritance tax should be eliminated. Do you think the inheritance tax should be eliminated or kept in place? Q113a

Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ02[1]

1	Eliminated
2	Kept
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rBB11**Inheritance tax should be cut for some Americans**

Some Americans must pay taxes on whatever they inherit. Some people say this inheritance tax should be eliminated. Do you think the inheritance tax should be eliminated or kept in place? Q113a

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ02[1]

1	Eliminated
2	Kept
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cBB12**Tax on inheritances over 1 million should be cut**

Americans who inherit more than a million dollars must pay taxes on whatever they inherit. Some people say this inheritance tax should be eliminated. Do you think the inheritance tax should be eliminated or kept in place? Q113b

Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ02[2]

1	Eliminated
2	Kept
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rBB12**Tax on inheritances over 1 million should be cut**

Americans who inherit more than a million dollars must pay taxes on whatever they inherit. Some people say this inheritance tax should be eliminated. Do you think the inheritance tax should be eliminated or kept in place? Q113b

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ02[2]

1	Eliminated
2	Kept
998	Don't know
999	No answer

BB Taxes, flat tax**cBB13****Federal government should adopt flat tax**

Make all Americans pay the same percentage of their income in taxes—should the federal government do this or not? Q136b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rBB13**Federal government should adopt flat tax**

Make all Americans pay the same percentage of their income in taxes—should the federal government do this or not? Q136b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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		cBB14 (cBB14.1 ... cBB14.3)			rBB14 (rBB14.1 ... rBB14.3)
		Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors flat income tax			Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors flat income tax
		Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors a flat income tax, that is, where everyone pays the same percentage of their income in taxes? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q232b			Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors a flat income tax, that is, where everyone pays the same percentage of their income in taxes? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q232b
		Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS			IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint
		Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}			Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}
		{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}			{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}
		Up to 3 mentions recorded			Up to 3 mentions recorded
		1 Bush			1 Bush
		2 Forbes			2 Forbes
		3 McCain			3 McCain
		4 {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both}			4 {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both}
		5 {None Neither}			5 {None Neither}
		6 Other			6 Other
		998 Don't know			998 Don't know
		999 No answer			999 No answer
	+		+		+

BB Taxes, ethanol tax breaks

cBB15 (cBB15.1 ... cBB15.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors ethanol tax breaks

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who opposes tax breaks for ethanol, a corn based fuel additive? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

cBB16

Annual cost of ethanol tax breaks

Do you think that tax breaks for ethanol, a corn-based fuel additive, cost \$100 million a year, \$275 million, \$425 million or \$600 million a year? Q116

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; Super CS 4–20 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample

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| 1 | \$100 million |
| 2 | \$275 million |
| 3 | \$425 million |
| 4 | \$600 million |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rBB15 (rBB15.1 ... rBB15.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors ethanol tax breaks

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who opposes tax breaks for ethanol, a corn based fuel additive? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86e

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

BB Taxes, other**cBB17****Gore or Bradley voted for 1981 tax cuts**

To the best of your knowledge, who voted for the Reagan tax cuts in 1981? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBB17**Gore or Bradley voted for 1981 tax cuts**

To the best of your knowledge, who voted for the Reagan tax cuts in 1981? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233f

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBB18**Bush or Gore favors doubling per-child tax deduction**

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors | starting 8 Nov 00: favored} doubling the amount families can deduct from their income tax for each child they have, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100e

Nat CS 18 Sep–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBB18**Bush or Gore favors doubling per-child tax deduction**

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors | starting 8 Nov 00: favored} doubling the amount families can deduct from their income tax for each child they have, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100e

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBB19

Most common federal income tax bracket

Thinking about federal income taxes, what federal tax rate do most people pay? 15%, 28%, 32% or 39.6%? Q120

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 20 Jan 00: random 1/2 of sample}

1	15%
2	28%
3	32%
4	39.6%
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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BB Taxes, questioning unique to reinterviews

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rBB19

Most common federal income tax bracket

Thinking about federal income taxes, what federal tax rate do most people pay? 15%, 28%, 32% or 39.6%? Q120

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1	15%
2	28%
3	32%
4	39.6%
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rBB20

Aware of claim that McCain proposed largest tax increase in US history

John McCain has proposed the largest tax increase in US history. Have you heard this or not? Q262a

SC Reint; MI Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rBB21

Believe McCain proposed largest tax increase in US history

Do you believe this statement [John McCain has proposed the largest tax increase in US history.] is true, or do you think it is false? Q263a

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if aware of claim

rBB20[1]

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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B-21

Policy issues : variable detail

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 $+$ $+$ **rBB22**

Aware of claim that McCain wants to raise charity taxes 20%

John McCain wants to raise taxes on contributions to charity by \$20 billion. Have you heard this or not? Q262b

SC Reint; MI Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rBB23

Believe McCain wants to raise charity taxes 20%

Do you believe this statement [John McCain wants to raise taxes on contributions to charity by \$20 billion.] is true, or do you think it is false?
Q263b

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if aware of claim

 $rBB22[1]$

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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BC Social Security, in general

cBC01

Federal government should spend on Social Security

Social Security benefits—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

1	More
2	Same
3	Less
4	None
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rBC01

Federal government should spend on Social Security

Social Security benefits—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

1	More
2	Same
3	Less
4	None
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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1	Bush
2	McCain
3	No difference
998	Don't know
999	No answer

1	Bush
2	Gore
3	No difference
998	Don't know
999	No answer

1	Bush
2	McCain
3	No difference
998	Don't know
999	No answer

1	Bush
2	Gore
3	No difference
998	Don't know
999	No answer

B-24

+	cBC04 Bush or Gore better at Social Security and Medicare Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of strengthening Social Security and protecting Medicare, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45c Nat CS 24 Aug–6 Nov 00 Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[1]} 1 Bush 2 Gore 3 No difference 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+
+	rBC04 Bush or Gore better at Social Security and Medicare Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of strengthening Social Security and protecting Medicare, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45c 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX06[1] 1 Bush 2 Gore 3 No difference 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+
+	BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market cBC05 Favor investing Social Security in stock market Do you personally favor or oppose allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market? Q91e Nat CS 19 May–27 Nov 00 Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]} 1 Favor 2 Oppose 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+
+	rBC05 Favor investing Social Security in stock market Do you personally favor or oppose allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market? Q91e GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]} 1 Favor 2 Oppose 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+

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cBC06

Investing Social Security in stock market will reduce benefits for elderly

Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the following statement: Allowing younger people to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market will reduce Social Security benefits for older people. Do you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree? Q114

Nat CS 23 Oct–12 Dec 00

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBC07

Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market? Q94e

Nat CS 19 May–27 Nov 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBC06

Investing Social Security in stock market will reduce benefits for elderly

Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the following statement: Allowing younger people to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market will reduce Social Security benefits for older people. Do you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree? Q114

Elect Reint

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBC07

Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market? Q94e

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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- rBC09**

Bush or Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market

To the best of your knowledge, who favors allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96e

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

BC Social Security, other

cBC10 (cBC10.1 ... cBC10.3)

Bush, McCain or Forbes favors raising Social Security eligibility age

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who would consider raising the age when people are eligible to receive Social Security? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q232f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | All |
| 5 | None |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

BD Education, school vouchers

cBD01

Favor school vouchers

Do you personally favor or oppose using government money to help some parents send their children to private schools? Q268d

Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Favor |
| 2 | Oppose |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rBD01

Favor school vouchers

Do you personally favor or oppose using government money to help some parents send their children to private schools? Q268d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- | | |
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| 1 | Favor |
| 2 | Oppose |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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	cBD02		rBD02	
	Federal government should give school vouchers		Federal government should give school vouchers	
	Give tax credits or vouchers to help parents send their children to private schools—should the federal government do this or not? Q38a		Give tax credits or vouchers to help parents send their children to private schools—should the federal government do this or not? Q38a	
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00, 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	1 Yes		1 Yes	
	2 No		2 No	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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	cBD03 (cBD03.1 ... cBD03.3)			
	Bush, McCain or Forbes favors school vouchers			
	Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who supports giving tax credits or vouchers to people who send their children to private schools? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q86d			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00			
	Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes <i>cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]</i>			
	Up to 3 mentions recorded			
	1 Bush			
	2 Forbes			
	3 McCain			
	4 All			
	5 None			
	6 Other			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cBD04**Gore or Bradley favors school vouchers**

To the best of your knowledge, who supports giving tax credits or vouchers to people who send their children to private schools? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBD04**Gore or Bradley favors school vouchers**

To the best of your knowledge, who supports giving tax credits or vouchers to people who send their children to private schools? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233a

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBD05**Bush favors school vouchers**

Do you think George W. Bush {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} using government money to help some parents send their children to private schools? Q267a, Q270d

Nat CS 4 Apr–10 Dec 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBD05**Bush favors school vouchers**

Do you think George W. Bush {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} using government money to help some parents send their children to private schools? Q267a, Q270d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBD09

Federal government should spend on spending on schools

Providing financial assistance to public elementary and secondary schools—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111f

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBD11**Bush or Gore better at education**

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of improving education, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45b

Nat CS 24 Aug–6 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BE Health insurance, in general**cBE01****Americans without health insurance a problem**

The number of people who cannot afford health insurance—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE02**Federal government should spend on health care for uninsured**

Providing health care for people who do not already have it—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBD11**Bush or Gore better at education**

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of improving education, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45b

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX06[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE01**Americans without health insurance a problem**

The number of people who cannot afford health insurance—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE02**Federal government should spend on health care for uninsured**

Providing health care for people who do not already have it—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE03

Americans without health insurance

How many Americans do not have health insurance? About one American in 50, one in 20, one in 10 or more than one in 10? Q117

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; Super CS 4–20 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample

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One in 50

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One in 20

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One in 10

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More than one in 10

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Don't know

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No answer

BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions

cBE04

Federal government should spend on Medicare

Providing health care for elderly people, usually called Medicare—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111g

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

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More

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Same

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Less

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None

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Don't know

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No answer

rBE04

Federal government should spend on Medicare

Providing health care for elderly people, usually called Medicare—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111g

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

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None

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Don't know

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No answer

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cBE05**Position on prescription coverage for seniors**

As you may know, currently the federal government pays for senior citizens' health care through the Medicare program. However, the government does not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs. Which of the following best describes what you personally think? The federal government should not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs; the government should offer senior citizens a voucher to cover some of the cost of prescription drugs; or the federal government should cover prescription drugs through Medicare? Q101

Nat CS 28 Jul–10 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Should not pay
- 2 Offer voucher to cover some costs
- 3 Cover through Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE06**Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors**

On the issue of prescription drugs for senior citizens, to the best of your knowledge, what {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} George W. Bush think? {Does | Did} George W. Bush think the federal government should not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs; the government should offer senior citizens a voucher to cover some of the cost of prescription drugs; or the federal government should cover prescription drugs through Medicare? Q102a

Nat CS 28 Jul–10 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Should not pay
- 2 Offer voucher to cover some costs
- 3 Cover through Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE05**Position on prescription coverage for seniors**

As you may know, currently the federal government pays for senior citizens' health care through the Medicare program. However, the government does not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs. Which of the following best describes what you personally think? The federal government should not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs; the government should offer senior citizens a voucher to cover some of the cost of prescription drugs; or the federal government should cover prescription drugs through Medicare? Q101

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Should not pay
- 2 Offer voucher to cover some costs
- 3 Cover through Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE06**Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors**

On the issue of prescription drugs for senior citizens, to the best of your knowledge, what {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} George W. Bush think? {Does | Did} George W. Bush think the federal government should not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs; the government should offer senior citizens a voucher to cover some of the cost of prescription drugs; or the federal government should cover prescription drugs through Medicare? Q102a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Should not pay
- 2 Offer voucher to cover some costs
- 3 Cover through Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE07**Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors**

On the issue of prescription drugs for senior citizens, to the best of your knowledge, what {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} Al Gore think? {Does | Did} Al Gore think the federal government should not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs; the government should offer senior citizens a voucher to cover some of the cost of prescription drugs; or the federal government should cover prescription drugs through Medicare? Q102b

Nat CS 28 Jul–10 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Should not pay
- 2 Offer voucher to cover some costs
- 3 Cover through Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBE07**Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors**

On the issue of prescription drugs for senior citizens, to the best of your knowledge, what {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} Al Gore think? {Does | Did} Al Gore think the federal government should not pay for senior citizens' prescription drugs; the government should offer senior citizens a voucher to cover some of the cost of prescription drugs; or the federal government should cover prescription drugs through Medicare? Q102b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Should not pay
- 2 Offer voucher to cover some costs
- 3 Cover through Medicare
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BE Health insurance, universal health care for children**cBE08****Favor universal health care for children**

Do you personally favor or oppose using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? Q91d

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBE08**Favor universal health care for children**

Do you personally favor or oppose using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? Q91d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE09**Bush favors universal health care for children**

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? Q94d

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE10**Gore favors universal health care for children**

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? Q95d

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE09**Bush favors universal health care for children**

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? Q94d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE10**Gore favors universal health care for children**

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? Q95d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE11

Bush or Gore favors universal health care for children

To the best of your knowledge, who favors using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96d

Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBE11

Bush or Gore favors universal health care for children

To the best of your knowledge, who favors using government funds to make sure that every child in the US is covered by health insurance? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care

cBE12 (cBE12.1 ... cBE12.3)

Bush, McCain or Forbes favors savings accounts for health care

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors tax-free savings accounts people could use to pay for health care? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q232a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes

cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 All
- 5 None
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE13

Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors | starting 8 Nov 00: favored} giving a \$3000 income tax credit for long-term health care expenses, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100c

Nat CS 24 Aug–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights

cBE14

Favor right to sue HMOs

Do you personally favor or oppose giving patients the right to sue their health maintenance organization or HMO? Q91a

Nat CS 4 Apr–10 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE13

Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: favors | starting 8 Nov 00: favored} giving a \$3000 income tax credit for long-term health care expenses, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q100c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE14

Favor right to sue HMOs

Do you personally favor or oppose giving patients the right to sue their health maintenance organization or HMO? Q91a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE15**Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights**

Protecting patients' rights in the health care system—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBE15**Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights**

Protecting patients' rights in the health care system—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110e

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBE16 (cBE16.1 ... cBE16.3)**Bush, McCain or Forbes favors right to sue HMOs**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who wants to give patients the right to sue their HMO? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q232e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 All
- 5 None
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBE20

Bush or Gore favors right to sue HMOs

To the best of your knowledge, who favors giving patients the right to sue their health maintenance organization or HMO? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96a

Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BE Health insurance, other

cBE21

Federal government should spend on Medicaid

Providing health care for poor people, usually called Medicaid—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111h

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE20

Bush or Gore favors right to sue HMOs

To the best of your knowledge, who favors giving patients the right to sue their health maintenance organization or HMO? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBE21

Federal government should spend on Medicaid

Providing health care for poor people, usually called Medicaid—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111h

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBF03**Federal government should ban abortion**

Ban all abortions—should the federal government do this or not? Q136a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBF04 (cBF04.1 ... cBF04.3)**Bush or McCain opposes abortion except for rape, mother's health**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who opposes abortion except in cases of rape, incest or danger to the life of the mother? George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither? Q232j

Nat CS 15 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 15 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 15–18 Feb; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 Both
- 5 Neither
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBF03**Federal government should ban abortion**

Ban all abortions—should the federal government do this or not? Q136a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBF04 (rBF04.1 ... rBF04.3)**Bush or McCain opposes abortion except for rape, mother's health**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who opposes abortion except in cases of rape, incest or danger to the life of the mother? George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither? Q232j

Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain
rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 Both
- 5 Neither
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBF05 (cBF05.1 ... cBF05.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) would nominate only anti-abortion Supreme Court justices

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who would only nominate Supreme Court justices who oppose abortion rights? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBF05 (rBF05.1 ... rBF05.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) would nominate only anti-abortion Supreme Court justices

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who would only nominate Supreme Court justices who oppose abortion rights? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cBF06 (cBF06.1 ... cBF06.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors anti-abortion constitutional amendment

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors a constitutional amendment to ban abortion? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86j

Nat CS 1 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 1 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 2–18 Feb; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBF06 (rBF06.1 ... rBF06.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors anti-abortion constitutional amendment

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors a constitutional amendment to ban abortion? {NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86j

NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {NH Reint: or Forbes}

{NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Policy issues : variable detail

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cBF07 (cBF07.1 ... cBF07.3)
Bush, McCain or Forbes would prioritize anti-abortion constitutional amendment

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who would make an anti-abortion constitutional amendment a top priority? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q86b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 All
- 5 None
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBF08
Gore or Bradley favors right to choose abortion

To the best of your knowledge, who favors allowing a woman to choose to have an abortion? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley
cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBF09**Bush favors restricting abortion**

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} making it harder for a woman to get an abortion? Q94b, Q104a, Q130

Nat CS 4 Apr–10 Dec 00, 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | 8 Sep–10 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBF09**Bush favors restricting abortion**

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} making it harder for a woman to get an abortion? Q94b, Q104a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBF10**Gore favors restricting abortion**

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} making it harder for a woman to get an abortion? Q95b, Q104b

Nat CS 4 Apr–10 Dec 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBF10**Gore favors restricting abortion**

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} making it harder for a woman to get an abortion? Q95b, Q104b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBF11**Bush or Gore favors restricting abortion**

To the best of your knowledge, who favors making it harder for a woman to get an abortion? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96b

Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBF11**Bush or Gore favors restricting abortion**

To the best of your knowledge, who favors making it harder for a woman to get an abortion? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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1	Fewer than 10%
2	Between 10% and 25%
3	More than 25%
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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1	Favor
2	Oppose
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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1	Favor
2	Oppose
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cBF14

Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: opposed} the sale of RU-486? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q274

Nat CS 2 Oct–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BF Abortion, questioning unique to reinterviews

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rBF14

Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486

To the best of your knowledge, who {through 6 Nov 00: opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: opposed} the sale of RU-486? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q274

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBF15

Aware of claim that McCain supports public financing of experiments on abortuses

John McCain supports using tax dollars for experiments that use body parts from aborted babies. Have you heard this or not? Q262d

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBF16

Believe McCain supports public financing of experiments on abortuses

Do you believe this statement [John McCain supports using tax dollars for experiments that use body parts from aborted babies.] is true, or do you think it is false? Q263d

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if aware of claim

rBF15[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Policy issues : variable detail

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		BG Crime, death penalty			
		cBG01		rBG01	
		Favor death penalty		Favor death penalty	
		Do you personally favor or oppose the death penalty for some crimes? Q268b		Do you personally favor or oppose the death penalty for some crimes? Q268b	
		Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
		Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}		Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}	
		1 Favor		1 Favor	
		2 Oppose		2 Oppose	
		998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
		999 No answer		999 No answer	
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		cBG02		rBG02	
		Bush favors death penalty		Bush favors death penalty	
		George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} the death penalty for some crimes? Q270b		George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} the death penalty for some crimes? Q270b	
		Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
		Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}		Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}	
		1 Favor		1 Favor	
		2 Oppose		2 Oppose	
		998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
		999 No answer		999 No answer	
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		cBG03		rBG03	
		Gore favors death penalty		Gore favors death penalty	
		Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} the death penalty for some crimes? Q271b		Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} the death penalty for some crimes? Q271b	
		Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
		Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}		Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}	
		1 Favor		1 Favor	
		2 Oppose		2 Oppose	
		998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
		999 No answer		999 No answer	
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cBG04

Bush or Gore favors death penalty

To the best of your knowledge, who favors the death penalty for some crimes? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q272b

Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBG04

Bush or Gore favors death penalty

To the best of your knowledge, who favors the death penalty for some crimes? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q272b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BG Crime, gun control

cBG05

Favor handgun licenses

Do you personally favor or oppose requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? Q91c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBG05

Favor handgun licenses

Do you personally favor or oppose requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? Q91c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBG06

Federal government should expend effort to restrict gun purchases

Restricting the kinds of guns that people can buy—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBG06

Federal government should expend effort to restrict gun purchases

Restricting the kinds of guns that people can buy—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBG07 (cBG07.1 ... cBG07.3)**Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors instant checks at gun shows**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors instant checks at gun shows and pawn shops and opposes a waiting period to purchase guns? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cBG08**Bush favors handgun licenses**

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? Q94c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

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| 1 | Favor |
| 2 | Oppose |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBG07 (rBG07.1 ... rBG07.3)**Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors instant checks at gun shows**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors instant checks at gun shows and pawn shops and opposes a waiting period to purchase guns? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86f

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBG08**Bush favors handgun licenses**

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? Q94c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

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| 1 | Favor |
| 2 | Oppose |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cBG09

Gore favors handgun licenses

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? Q95c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

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Favor

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Oppose

998

Don't know

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No answer

cBG10

Bush or Gore favors handgun licenses

To the best of your knowledge, who favors requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96c

Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[2]

1

Bush

2

Gore

3

Both

4

Neither

998

Don't know

999

No answer

cBG11

Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law

To the best of your knowledge, who supported legislation allowing people to carry concealed handguns? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

1

Bush

2

Gore

3

Both

4

Neither

998

Don't know

999

No answer

rBG09

Gore favors handgun licenses

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? Q95c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

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Favor

2

Oppose

998

Don't know

999

No answer

rBG10

Bush or Gore favors handgun licenses

To the best of your knowledge, who favors requiring a license for a person to buy a handgun? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q96c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

1

Bush

2

Gore

3

Both

4

Neither

998

Don't know

999

No answer

rBG11

Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law

To the best of your knowledge, who supported legislation allowing people to carry concealed handguns? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

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Bush

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Gore

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Both

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Neither

998

Don't know

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No answer

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BG Crime, other**cBG12****Underpunished criminals a problem**

The number of criminals who are not punished enough—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q37b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBG13**Drug use a problem**

The amount of illegal drug use—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban**cBH01****Federal government should limit contributions to parties**

Limit the amount of money that can be given to political parties—should the federal government do this or not? Q38b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBG12**Underpunished criminals a problem**

The number of criminals who are not punished enough—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q37b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBG13**Drug use a problem**

The amount of illegal drug use—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBH01**Federal government should limit contributions to parties**

Limit the amount of money that can be given to political parties—should the federal government do this or not? Q38b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBH02

Favor soft money ban

Do you personally favor or oppose a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? Q268a

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBH03 (cBH03.1 ... cBH03.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors soft money ban

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who supports a ban on soft money campaign contributions? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86g

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 {through 13 Feb: All | starting 14 Feb: Both}
- 5 {None | Neither}
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBH02

Favor soft money ban

Do you personally favor or oppose a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? Q268a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBH03 (rBH03.1 ... rBH03.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) favors soft money ban

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who supports a ban on soft money campaign contributions? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86g

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 {IA Reint; NH Reint: All | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both}
- 5 {None | Neither}
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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B-56

+	cBH04 Bush favors soft money ban George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? Q270a Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00 Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}	+
	1 Favor 2 Oppose 998 Don't know 999 No answer	
+	cBH05 Gore favors soft money ban Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? Q271a Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00 Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}	+
	1 Favor 2 Oppose 998 Don't know 999 No answer	
+	cBH06 Bush or Gore favors soft money ban To the best of your knowledge, who favors a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q272a Nat CS 4 Apr–7 Sep Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[2]	+
	1 Bush 2 Gore 3 Both 4 Neither 998 Don't know 999 No answer	
+	rBH04 Bush favors soft money ban George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? Q270a GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}	+
	1 Favor 2 Oppose 998 Don't know 999 No answer	
+	rBH05 Gore favors soft money ban Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? Q271a GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}	+
	1 Favor 2 Oppose 998 Don't know 999 No answer	
+	rBH06 Bush or Gore favors soft money ban To the best of your knowledge, who favors a ban on all soft money campaign contributions? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q272a GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]	+
	1 Bush 2 Gore 3 Both 4 Neither 998 Don't know 999 No answer	

BH Money in politics, public campaign financing

cBH07

Federal government should spend on public campaign financing

Using government funds rather than private contributions to pay for presidential campaigns—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111i

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | More |
| 2 | Same |
| 3 | Less |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rBH07

Federal government should spend on public campaign financing

Using government funds rather than private contributions to pay for presidential campaigns—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111i

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | More |
| 2 | Same |
| 3 | Less |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

cBH08

Gore or Bradley favors government funding of campaigns

To the best of your knowledge, who favors increased government funding of political campaigns? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q87b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley
cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bradley |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

BH Money in politics, other

cBH09

Bush or McCain better at fighting special interests

Who do you think would do a better job fighting special interests in Washington, George W. Bush or John McCain? Q260

Nat CS 16 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 16 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 16–18 Feb; MI CS 16–21 Feb

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain

cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]

- 1 Bush
- 2 McCain
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBH09

Bush or McCain better at fighting special interests

Who do you think would do a better job fighting special interests in Washington, George W. Bush or John McCain? Q260

Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain

rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]

- 1 Bush
- 2 McCain
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BH Money in politics, questioning unique to reinterviews

rBH10

Aware of claim that McCain wants public financing of campaigns

John McCain wants to use taxpayer dollars to pay for political campaigns. Have you heard this or not? Q262c

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBH11

Believe McCain wants public financing of campaigns

Do you believe this statement [John McCain wants to use taxpayer dollars to pay for political campaigns.] is true, or do you think it is false? Q263c

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if aware of claim

rBH10[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBH12
Bush does what contributors want or what is best for public

In your opinion, does George W. Bush usually do what his big financial contributors want him to do or what is best for the public? Q264a

Super Reint

Asked if recognize Bush

rA01[0-100]

- 1 What contributors want
- 2 What is best for public
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBH13
Gore does what contributors want or what is best for public

In your opinion, does Al Gore usually do what his big financial contributors want him to do or what is best for the public? Q264b

Super Reint

Asked if recognize Gore

rA11[0-100]

- 1 What contributors want
- 2 What is best for public
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBH14
McCain does what contributors want or what is best for public

In your opinion, does John McCain usually do what his big financial contributors want him to do or what is best for the public? Q264c

Super Reint

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

- 1 What contributors want
- 2 What is best for public
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BJ National defense, in general**cBJ01****Presidential candidate best prepared to be commander-in-chief**

Thinking about all the candidates running for president, both Republicans and Democrats, which one candidate do you feel is best prepared to be commander-in-chief of the US military?
Q88

Nat CS 9 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 9 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 10–18 Feb; MI CS

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Buchanan
- 3 Bush
- 4 Forbes
- 5 Gore
- 6 Keyes
- 7 McCain
- 8 Other
- 9 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBJ01**Presidential candidate best prepared to be commander-in-chief**

Thinking about all the candidates running for president, both Republicans and Democrats, which one candidate do you feel is best prepared to be commander-in-chief of the US military?
Q88

Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Buchanan
- 3 Bush
- 4 Forbes
- 5 Gore
- 6 Keyes
- 7 McCain
- 8 Other
- 9 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBJ02**Bush or Gore better at defense**

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of providing a strong military defense, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45d

Nat CS 24 Aug–6 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBJ02**Bush or Gore better at defense**

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of providing a strong military defense, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45d

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX06[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BJ National defense, missile defense

cBJ03

Federal government should spend on missile defense

How much money do you think the federal government should spend on developing a system that would defend the US against a nuclear missile attack? Should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q108, Q111d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00, 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | 18 Jul–10 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBJ03

Federal government should spend on missile defense

How much money do you think the federal government should spend on developing a system that would defend the US against a nuclear missile attack? Should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBJ04 (cBJ04.1 ... cBJ04.3)

Bush, McCain or Forbes favors missile defense system

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who thinks we should build a missile defense system immediately? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q232c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 All
- 5 None
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BJ National defense, nuclear test ban treaty

cBJ05 (cBJ05.1 ... cBJ05.3)

Bush, McCain or Forbes favors nuclear test ban treaty

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who favors the US signing the treaty banning underground testing of nuclear weapons? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q86c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 All
- 5 None
- 6 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBJ06

Gore or Bradley favors nuclear test ban treaty

To the best of your knowledge, who favors the US signing the treaty banning underground testing of nuclear weapons? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q87c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley
cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BJ National defense, scope of military

cBJ07

Federal government should spend on military

Maintaining a strong military defense—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBJ07

Federal government should spend on military

Maintaining a strong military defense—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBJ08

Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars

In your opinion, should the government use American military forces to stop civil wars in other countries or not? Q109, Q136f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00, 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | 18 Jul–10 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBJ08

Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars

In your opinion, should the government use American military forces to stop civil wars in other countries or not? Q136f

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BJ National defense, other

cBJ09

Bush or Gore better at handling Middle East

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of handling the situation in the Middle East, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45e

Nat CS 16 Oct–6 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX06[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBJ09

Bush or Gore better at handling Middle East

Regardless of your choice for president, who do you think would do a better job of handling the situation in the Middle East, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q45e

17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX06[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cBJ10 (cBJ10.1 ... cBJ10.3)			
	Bush, McCain or Forbes favors stopping Russian aid to protest Chechnya			
	Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who would cut off aid to Russia if the killing of civilians in Chechnya doesn't stop? You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Q232g			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jan 00; Super CS 4–17 Jan 00			
	Asked if recognize Bush or McCain or Forbes <i>cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100]</i>			
	Up to 3 mentions recorded			
	1 Bush			
	2 Forbes			
	3 McCain			
	4 All			
	5 None			
	6 Other			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+

	BK Immigration			
	cBK01		rBK01	
	Immigration a problem		Immigration a problem	
	The rate of immigration into the United States—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135c		The rate of immigration into the United States—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135c	
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint	
	Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}		Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}	
	1 Extremely serious		1 Extremely serious	
	2 Serious		2 Serious	
	3 Not too serious		3 Not too serious	
	4 Not a problem		4 Not a problem	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
+		+		+

cBK02

Legal immigrants to US annually

Each year, how many legal immigrants come to the US? Fewer than 200,000, 400,000, 600,000 or more than 1 million? Q121

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–20 Jan 00; Super CS 4–20 Jan 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample

- 1 Fewer than 200,000
- 2 400,000
- 3 600,000
- 4 More than 1 million
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBL01

Favor gays in military

Do you personally favor or oppose allowing homosexuals to serve openly in the United States military? Q268c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BL Gay rights, gays in military

cBL01

Favor gays in military

Do you personally favor or oppose allowing homosexuals to serve openly in the United States military? Q268c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBL02

Bush favors gays in military

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} allowing homosexuals to serve openly in the United States military? Q270c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBL02

Bush favors gays in military

George W. Bush—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} allowing homosexuals to serve openly in the United States military? Q270c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {through 7 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cBZ01[1] | starting 8 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBL03

Gore favors gays in military

Al Gore—do you think he {through 6 Nov 00: favors or opposes | starting 8 Nov 00: favored or opposed} allowing homosexuals to serve openly in the United States military? Q271c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[1] | 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Favor |
| 2 | Oppose |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBL04

Bush or Gore favors gays in military

To the best of your knowledge, who favors allowing homosexuals to serve openly in the United States military? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q272c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rBZ01[2]

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBL05**rBL05**

Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against gays

Trying to stop job discrimination against homosexuals—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | More |
| 2 | Same |
| 3 | Less |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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1	Bush
2	Forbes
3	McCain
4	All
5	None
6	Other
998	Don't know
999	No answer

1	More
2	Same
3	Less
4	None
998	Don't know
999	No answer

1	More
2	Same
3	Less
4	None
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cBM02**Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women**

Trying to stop job discrimination against women—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110g

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1]} | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BN Energy**cBN01****Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating**

This fall, the government has decided to sell some of the country's strategic oil reserve to increase the supply of winter heating oil. Do you personally favor or oppose this? Q105

Nat CS 25 Sep–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBM02**Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women**

Trying to stop job discrimination against women—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110g

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3]} | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBN01**Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating**

This fall, the government has decided to sell some of the country's strategic oil reserve to increase the supply of winter heating oil. Do you personally favor or oppose this? Q105

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBN02**Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating**

To the best of your knowledge, {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} George W. Bush favor or oppose selling some of the oil reserve to increase the winter heating oil supply? Q107a

Nat CS 25 Sep–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBN02**Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating**

To the best of your knowledge, {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} George W. Bush favor or oppose selling some of the oil reserve to increase the winter heating oil supply? Q107a

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBN03**Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating**

To the best of your knowledge, {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} Al Gore favor or oppose selling some of the oil reserve to increase the winter heating oil supply? Q107b

Nat CS 25 Sep–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBN03**Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating**

To the best of your knowledge, {through 6 Nov 00: does | starting 8 Nov 00: did} Al Gore favor or oppose selling some of the oil reserve to increase the winter heating oil supply? Q107b

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

BP Poverty**cBP01****Poverty a problem**

The amount of poverty in the United States—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q37a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBP01**Poverty a problem**

The amount of poverty in the United States—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q37a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

+	<div><div>cBP02</div><div>Federal government should reduce income differences</div><div>Try to reduce the income differences between rich and poor Americans—should the federal government do this or not? Q136e</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS</div><div>Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1]} starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}</div><div><div>1</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don't know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+
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+	<div><div>cBP03</div><div>Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children</div><div>Providing assistance to poor mothers with young children—should the federal government spend more money on this, the same as now, less or no money at all? Q111e</div><div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS</div><div>Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1]} starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}</div><div><div>1</div><div>More</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>Same</div></div><div><div>3</div><div>Less</div></div><div><div>4</div><div>None</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don't know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+
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+	<div><div>BQ Elian Gonzalez</div><div>cBQ01</div><div>Aware of Elian Gonzalez</div><div>A question about Elian Gonzalez, the young boy from Cuba whose mother died fleeing Cuba. Have you read or heard anything about this issue? Q242</div><div>Nat CS 20 Jan–3 Apr 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</div><div><div>1</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>2</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>998</div><div>Don't know</div></div><div><div>999</div><div>No answer</div></div></div>	+
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cBQ02**Preferred outcome for Elian Gonzalez**

Elian [Gonzalez] is currently staying with relatives in Miami. His father in Cuba wants him home. Which of the following comes closest to what you think? The boy should be returned to his father in Cuba; the boy should stay permanently with his relatives in the US; or the decision should be left to the US courts to decide? Q243

Nat CS 20 Jan–3 Apr 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez

cBQ01[1]

- 1 Returned to father
- 2 Stay in US
- 3 Courts should decide
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBQ02**Preferred outcome for Elian Gonzalez**

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IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez

rBQ01[1]

- 1 Returned to father
- 2 Stay in US
- 3 Courts should decide
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cBQ03**Bush playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say George W. Bush is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244b

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; SC CS 1–6 Feb

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize Bush
cBQ01[1] and cA01[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBQ03**Bush playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say George W. Bush is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244b

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize Bush
rBQ01[1] and rA01[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBQ04**Gore playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say Al Gore is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244c

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize Gore
cBQ01[1] and cA11[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBQ05**McCain playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say John McCain is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244d

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; SC CS 1–6 Feb

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize McCain
cBQ01[1] and cA21[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBQ06**Bradley playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say Bill Bradley is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244a

Nat CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Feb 00

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize Bradley
cBQ01[1] and cA30[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBQ04**Gore playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say Al Gore is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244c

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize Gore
rBQ01[1] and rA11[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBQ05**McCain playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say John McCain is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244d

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize McCain
rBQ01[1] and rA21[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBQ06**Bradley playing politics with Elian Gonzalez or thinking about boy's interests**

Thinking about what the presidential candidates have said about Elian [Gonzalez], would you say Bill Bradley is playing politics with this issue or thinking about the boy's best interests? Q244a

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of Elian Gonzalez and recognize Bradley
rBQ01[1] and rA30[0-100]

- 1 Playing politics
- 2 Thinking about boy's interests
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BR SC Confederate flag

cBR01

SC Confederate flag should stay

The Confederate flag currently flies above South Carolina's state capitol. In your view should it stay there, or should it be removed? Q239

Nat CS 20 Jan-3 Apr 00; IA CS 20-23 Jan 00; NH CS 20-31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan-6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Stay |
| 2 | Be removed |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rBR01

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The Confederate flag currently flies above South Carolina's state capitol. In your view should it stay there, or should it be removed? Q239

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Stay |
| 2 | Be removed |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

cBR02 (cBR02.1 ... cBR02.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) says South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, which of these candidates, if any, say South Carolina should decide for itself whether the Confederate flag should fly over the state capitol? Q240

Nat CS 20 Jan-3 Apr 00; IA CS 20-23 Jan 00; NH CS 20-31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan-6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rBR02 (rBR02.1 ... rBR02.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) says South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, which of these candidates, if any, say South Carolina should decide for itself whether the Confederate flag should fly over the state capitol? Q240

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|--|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cBR03 (cBR03.1 ... cBR03.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) really believes South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag

Think about what the candidates really believe. Regardless of what they say, which of these candidates, if any, do you think really believe the Confederate flag should be taken down from the South Carolina state capitol? George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes,} John McCain? Q241

Nat CS 20 Jan–3 Apr 00; IA CS 20–23 Jan 00; NH CS 20–31 Jan 00; Super CS 20 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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BS Environment

cBS01

Federal government should expend effort to protect environment

Protecting the environment and natural resources—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

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| 1 | More |
| 2 | Same |
| 3 | Less |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBR03 (rBR03.1 ... rBR03.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) really believes South Carolina should decide on Confederate flag

Think about what the candidates really believe. Regardless of what they say, which of these candidates, if any, do you think really believe the Confederate flag should be taken down from the South Carolina state capitol? George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes,} John McCain? Q241

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|--|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rBS01

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Protecting the environment and natural resources—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110f

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | More |
| 2 | Same |
| 3 | Less |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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BS Environment, questioning unique to reinterviews

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Policy issues : variable detail

rBS02

Bush believes federal government should expend effort to protect environment

In your opinion, how much effort does George W. Bush think the federal government should put into protecting the environment and natural resources? Does he think the government should do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q257a

Super Reint

Asked if recognize Bush

rA01[0-100]

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rBS03

Gore believes federal government should expend effort to protect environment

In your opinion, how much effort does Al Gore think the federal government should put into protecting the environment and natural resources? Does he think the government should do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q257b

Super Reint

Asked if recognize Gore

rA11[0-100]

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBS04
McCain believes federal government should expend effort to protect environment

In your opinion, how much effort does John McCain think the federal government should put into protecting the environment and natural resources? Does he think the government should do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q257c

Super Reint
Asked if recognize McCain
rA21[0-100]

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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BT Other

cBT01
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations

Eliminating many of the regulations that businesses have to follow—should the federal government do more about this, the same as now, less or nothing at all? Q110d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 More
- 2 Same
- 3 Less
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBT02

Job loss to foreign competition a problem

The number of Americans losing their jobs because of foreign competition—is this an extremely serious problem, serious, not too serious or not a problem at all? Q135b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cBT03

Federal government should allow school prayer

Make sure all public school students can pray as part of some official school activity—should the federal government do this or not? Q136d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[1] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[1]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBT02

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IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 Extremely serious
- 2 Serious
- 3 Not too serious
- 4 Not a problem
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rBT03

Federal government should allow school prayer

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IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[2-3] | GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX04[1]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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B-78

+	cBT04 (cBT04.1 ... cBT04.3) Bush or McCain opposed breast cancer research funding Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who opposed federal funding for some breast cancer research? George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither? Q232k Nat CS 2 Mar–3 Apr; Super CS 2–6 Mar; Sec CS 2–13 Mar Asked if recognize Bush or McCain <i>cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]</i> Up to 3 mentions recorded 1 Bush 2 Forbes 3 McCain 4 Both 5 Neither 6 Other 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+
+	rBT04 (rBT04.1 ... rBT04.3) Bush or McCain opposed breast cancer research funding Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who opposed federal funding for some breast cancer research? George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither? Q232k Super Reint Asked if recognize Bush or McCain <i>rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]</i> Up to 3 mentions recorded 1 Bush 2 Forbes 3 McCain 4 Both 5 Neither 6 Other 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+
+	BT Other, questioning unique to reinterviews	+

rBT05 Gore or Bradley did more for farmers as senators Thinking about Democrats Bill Bradley and Al Gore, when they were senators, who would you say did more for the American farmer, Bill Bradley or Al Gore? Q258 IA Reint Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley <i>rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]</i> 1 Bradley 2 Gore 3 No difference 998 Don't know 999 No answer
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rBT06

Clinton administration ignored farm crisis

Thinking about the Clinton administration, do you strongly agree that the Clinton administration has ignored the crisis on American farms, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree? Q259

IA Reint

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Random assignment and order

cBZ01

Random assignment to question structure for Bush's and Gore's policy positions

Q92

Nat CS 4 Apr-7 Sep

- 1 Does Bush favor or oppose? Does Gore favor or oppose?
- 2 Does Bush, Gore, both or neither favor?

rBZ01

Random assignment to question structure for Bush's and Gore's policy positions

Q92

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Does Bush favor or oppose? Does Gore favor or oppose?
- 2 Does Bush, Gore, both or neither favor?

cBZ02

Random assignment to BB11 or BB12

Q112

Nat CS 8 Sep-27 Nov 00

- 1 Assigned to cBB11
- 2 Assigned to cBB12

rBZ02

Random assignment to BB11 or BB12

Q112

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Assigned to rBB11
- 2 Assigned to rBB12

cBZ03

Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09

Q93

Nat CS 8 Sep-10 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]

- 1 Favor, oppose
- 2 Oppose, favor

rBZ03

Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09

Q93

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Favor, oppose
- 2 Oppose, favor

+	cBZ04 Random response order for BD05, BD06 Q266 Nat CS 8 Sep–10 Dec 00 Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+
+	cBZ05 Random response order for BF09, BF10 Q103 Nat CS 8 Sep–10 Dec 00 Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+
+	cBZ06 Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03 Q269 Nat CS 8 Sep–27 Nov 00 Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+
+	cBZ07 Random response order for BN02, BN03 Q106 Nat CS 25 Sep–27 Nov 00 Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+

+	rBZ04 Random response order for BD05, BD06 Q266 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+
+	rBZ05 Random response order for BF09, BF10 Q103 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+
+	rBZ06 Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03 Q269 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+
+	rBZ07 Random response order for BN02, BN03 Q106 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1] 1 Favor, oppose 2 Oppose, favor	+

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cC01**Favorability: labor unions**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate labor unions? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cC02**Favorability: corporations**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate large corporations? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cC03**Favorability: drug companies**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate the companies that make prescription drugs? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123i

Nat CS 31 Jul–25 Sep

Limited to {starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rC01**Favorability: labor unions**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate labor unions? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1, 3]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rC02**Favorability: corporations**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate large corporations? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1, 3]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rC03**Favorability: drug companies**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate the companies that make prescription drugs? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123i

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cC04**Favorability: feminist movement**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate the feminist movement? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cC05**Favorability: homosexuals**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate homosexuals? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cC06**Favorability: Christian fundamentalists**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Christian fundamentalists? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {through 3 Apr except SC CS, MI CS: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rC04**Favorability: feminist movement**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate the feminist movement? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1, 3]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rC05**Favorability: homosexuals**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate homosexuals? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1, 3]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rC06**Favorability: Christian fundamentalists**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Christian fundamentalists? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123e

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint: random 2/3 of sample, rX02[1, 3]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cC07

Favorability: NRA

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate the National Rifle Association? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123h

Nat CS 9 May–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 8 Aug: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]}

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cC08

Favorability: whites

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate whites? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123f

SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cC09

Favorability: blacks

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate blacks? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123g

SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cC10

Favorability: Protestants

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Protestants? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123j

Nat CS 8 Aug–27 Nov 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rC07

Favorability: NRA

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate the National Rifle Association? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123h

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rC10

Favorability: Protestants

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Protestants? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123j

Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
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Evaluations of groups : variable detail

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+	cC11 Favorability: Catholics On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Catholics? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123k Nat CS 8 Aug-27 Nov 00 Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1] Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+	+
	cC12 Favorability: Jews On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate {through 24 Aug: Jews starting 25 Aug: people of Jewish faith}? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123l Nat CS 8 Aug-27 Nov 00 Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1] Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer		
+	rC11 Favorability: Catholics On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate Catholics? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123k Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+	+
	rC12 Favorability: Jews On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate {Dem Conv Reint: Jews Elect Reint: people of Jewish faith}? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Q123l Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer		

In this section are questions measuring perceptions of presidential and vice presidential candidates' biographies.

But see section B for perceptions of candidates' past policy positions.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-12:

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Notes on variables in this section

- **Through early spring**, respondents were asked about Bush's biography in comparison with McCain's (D01–D05) (see also Forbes below), and Gore's relative to Bradley's (D06–D09). For cross-section interviews, this line of questioning was in effect through 8 Mar for questions about Gore and Bradley, through 3 Apr for questions about Bush and McCain. For reinterviews, this line of questioning was in effect for IA and NH post-primary reinterviews for Gore and Bradley; IA, NH, Super Tuesday, SC and MI post-primary reinterviews for Bush and McCain.
- Questions comparing Bush's and McCain's biography also asked about Forbes, prior to the end of his candidacy. For cross-section interviews, questioning about Forbes' biography continued through 13 Feb; for reinterviews, Forbes was referenced in these questions for IA and NH post-primary reinterviews.
- **Starting early April**, respondents were asked about Bush's biography in comparison with Gore's (D10–D16). For cross-section interviews, this line of questioning was in effect starting 4 Apr; for reinterviews, this line of questioning was in effect for post-convention, post-debate and post-general election reinterviews.

Candidate name recognition screen

- **Through early April**, questions about candidates' biographies were limited to respondents who recognized at least one of

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the candidates in the question. For cross-section interviews, this name recognition screen was in effect through 3 Apr; for reinterviews, the screen was in effect for post-primary reinterviews. Recognition was derived from favorability ratings. See section A.

Biography: Bush, McCain, Forbes

cD01 (cD01.1 ... cD01.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is governor

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who is a state governor? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86h

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rD01 (rD01.1 ... rD01.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is governor

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who is a state governor? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86h

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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	cD02 (cD02.1 ... cD02.3)		rD02 (rD02.1 ... rD02.3)	
	Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is senator		Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is senator	
	Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who is a US senator? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86i		Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who is a US senator? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q86i	
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint	
	Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}		Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}	
	{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}		{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}	
	Up to 3 mentions recorded		Up to 3 mentions recorded	
	1 Bush		1 Bush	
	2 Forbes		2 Forbes	
	3 McCain		3 McCain	
	4 {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both}		4 {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both}	
	5 {None Neither}		5 {None Neither}	
	6 Other		6 Other	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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cD03 (cD03.1 ... cD03.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is businessman

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who is a businessman? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q232h

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rD03 (rD03.1 ... rD03.3)

Bush, McCain (or Forbes) is businessman

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who is a businessman? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q232h

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cD04 (cD04.1 ... cD04.3)**Bush, McCain (or Forbes) was Vietnam POW**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who was a prisoner of war in Vietnam? {through 13 Feb: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | starting 14 Feb: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q232i

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {through 13 Feb: or Forbes}

{through 13 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100] or cA39[0-100] | starting 14 Feb: cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {through 13 Feb: All starting 14 Feb: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cD05 (cD05.1 ... cD05.3)**Bush or McCain spoke at Bob Jones University**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who gave a speech at Bob Jones University? George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither? Q232l

Nat CS 2 Mar–3 Apr; Super CS 2–6 Mar; Sec CS 2–13 Mar

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain
cA01[0-100] or cA21[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | Both |
| 5 | Neither |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rD04 (rD04.1 ... rD04.3)**Bush, McCain (or Forbes) was Vietnam POW**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush, {IA Reint; NH Reint: Steve Forbes} and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who was a prisoner of war in Vietnam? {IA Reint; NH Reint: You can name more than one or all, or you can say none. Again, the choices are George W. Bush, Steve Forbes and John McCain. | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither?} Q232i

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain {IA Reint; NH Reint: or Forbes}

{IA Reint; NH Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100] or rA39[0-100] | Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]}

Up to 3 mentions recorded

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | {IA Reint; NH Reint: All Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: Both} |
| 5 | {None Neither} |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rD05 (rD05.1 ... rD05.3)**Bush or McCain spoke at Bob Jones University**

Thinking about Republicans George W. Bush and John McCain, to the best of your knowledge, who gave a speech at Bob Jones University? George W. Bush, John McCain, both or neither? Q232l

Super Reint

Asked if recognize Bush or McCain
rA01[0-100] or rA21[0-100]

Up to 3 mentions recorded

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Forbes |
| 3 | McCain |
| 4 | Both |
| 5 | Neither |
| 6 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Biography: Gore, Bradley**cD06****Gore or Bradley was senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who was a United States senator? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q87e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rD06**Gore or Bradley was senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who was a United States senator? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q87e

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cD07**Gore or Bradley is son of former senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who is the son of a former United States senator? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q87f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rD07**Gore or Bradley is son of former senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who is the son of a former United States senator? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q87f

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cD08**Gore or Bradley played basketball**

To the best of your knowledge, who was a professional basketball player? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rD08**Gore or Bradley played basketball**

To the best of your knowledge, who was a professional basketball player? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233d

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cD09**Gore or Bradley served in Vietnam**

To the best of your knowledge, who served in the military during the Vietnam War? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Biography: Bush, Gore**cD10****Bush or Gore is governor**

To the best of your knowledge, who is a state governor? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q265a

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cD11**Bush or Gore was senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who was a United States senator? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q265b

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD09**Gore or Bradley served in Vietnam**

To the best of your knowledge, who served in the military during the Vietnam War? Bill Bradley, Al Gore, both or neither? Q233e

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD10**Bush or Gore is governor**

To the best of your knowledge, who is a state governor? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q265a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD11**Bush or Gore was senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who was a United States senator? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q265b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cD12**Bush or Gore is son of former senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who is the son of a former United States senator? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89d

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cD13**Bush or Gore served in Vietnam**

To the best of your knowledge, who is a Vietnam veteran? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89e

Nat CS 24 Aug–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cD14**Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University**

To the best of your knowledge, who gave a speech at Bob Jones University? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q265c

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Nov 00

Limited to {starting 28 Sep: random 1/2 of sample, cX05[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD12**Bush or Gore is son of former senator**

To the best of your knowledge, who is the son of a former United States senator? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD13**Bush or Gore served in Vietnam**

To the best of your knowledge, who is a Vietnam veteran? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89e

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD14**Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University**

To the best of your knowledge, who gave a speech at Bob Jones University? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q265c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rD15

Bush or Gore is born-again Christian

To the best of your knowledge, who considers himself a born-again Christian? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct
Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX05[1]}

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rD16

Bush or Gore owned baseball team

To the best of your knowledge, who owned a major league baseball team? George W. Bush, Al Gore, both or neither? Q89a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rD17

Cheney or Lieberman was secretary of defense

To the best of your knowledge, who was secretary of defense? Dick Cheney, Joe Lieberman, both or neither? Q90

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint;
Elect Reint

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Cheney |
| 2 | Lieberman |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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In this section are questions measuring mass media use, particularly news consumption.

But see section F for debates; G for presidential nominating conventions; H for advertising, TV appearances and speeches; and S for speeches and news about the general election outcome and disputed Florida vote. See also section J for direct contact with presidential candidates' campaigns.

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Notes on variables in this section: TV, newspapers, talk radio

Respondents were asked about exposure to any news and/or attention to politics-specific news:

- on network TV;
- on cable TV;
- on local TV;
- in newspapers;
- on talk radio.

The line of questioning about these media differed by interview point:

- For **cross-section interviews**, respondents were asked about exposure in the past week to any news on network TV (E01), on cable (E02), on local TV (E06), in newspapers (E13) and on talk radio (E18).
- Also for cross-section interviews, respondents were asked if they paid attention to specific types of news in the past week. For **cross-section interviews before the general election** (through 6 Nov 00), respondents were asked if they paid attention to stories about the presidential campaign on network TV or cable news (E03), on local TV news (E07) and in newspapers (E15). **After the general election (starting 8 Nov 00) and through 19 Dec 00**, this reference point was stories about presidential politics (E04, E08, E16), and

starting 20 Dec 00 the reference point was stories about politics (E05, E09, E17).

- For **IA, NH and Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they paid attention to news about the presidential primary campaign in the primary campaign: on network TV (E03a), cable (E03b) or local TV (E07a), in newspapers (E15a) and on talk radio (E18a).
- For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they paid attention to news about the Republican presidential primary campaign in this campaign (E03c, E03d, E07b, E15b, E18b).
- For **post-convention and post-debate reinterviews**, respondents were asked about exposure to news generally in the past week and attention to presidential campaign stories in the past week.
- For **post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they paid attention to news about the presidential campaign in the fall campaign on network TV (E03e), cable (E03f) or local TV (E07c), in newspapers (E15c) and on talk radio (E18c).

Online information

- For **cross-section interviews**, respondents were asked if in the past week they saw online information about the presidential campaign (**before the general election**, through 6 Nov 00, E21), about presidential politics (**after the general election, 8 Nov–19 Dec 00**, E22) or about politics (**starting 20 Dec 00**, E23).
- For **IA, NH and Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they paid attention to online information about the presidential primary campaign in the primary campaign (E21a). For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, the reference point was online information about the Republican presidential primary campaign in this campaign (E21b).
- For **post-convention and post-debate reinterviews**, respondents were asked about exposure to online information about the presidential campaign in the past week.
- For **post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they paid attention to online information about the presidential campaign in the fall campaign (E21c).

Network TV and cable

cE01

Watched network TV news in past week

How many days in the past week did you watch the national network news on TV—by national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, Fox News or UPN News? Q62a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-7

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rE01

Watched network TV news in past week

How many days in the past week did you watch the national network news on TV—by national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, Fox News or UPN News? Q62a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Range 0-7

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cE02

Watched cable news in past week

How many days in the past week did you watch cable news, such as CNN or MSNBC? Q62b

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 0-7

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rE02

Watched cable news in past week

How many days in the past week did you watch cable news, such as CNN or MSNBC? Q62b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Range 0-7

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cE03

Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on national network or cable TV news about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81a

Nat CS 28 Jan–6 Nov 00; NH CS 28–31 Jan 00; Super CS 28 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if watched network TV or cable news in past week

cE01[1-7] or cE02[1-7]

1 Great deal

2 Some

3 Not too much

4 None

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rE03

Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential campaign in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on national network or cable TV news about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched network TV or cable news in past week

rE01[1-7] or rE02[1-7]

1 Great deal

2 Some

3 Not too much

4 None

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rE03a

Paid attention to network TV news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

In the time before the presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on the national network news on TV—by national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, Fox News or UPN News? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q60a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE03b

Paid attention to cable news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

In the time before the presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on cable news, such as CNN or MSNBC? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q60b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE03c**Paid attention to network TV news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

In the time before the Republican presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on the national network news on TV—by national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, Fox News or UPN News? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q61a

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE03d**Paid attention to cable news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

In the time before the Republican presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on cable news, such as CNN or MSNBC? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q61b

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE03e

Paid attention to network TV news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

During the fall presidential campaign, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on the national network news on TV—by national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, Fox News or UPN News? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q63a

Elect Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE03f

Paid attention to cable news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

During the fall presidential campaign, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on cable news, such as CNN or MSNBC? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q63b

Elect Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cE04		
Paid attention to network TV or cable news about presidential politics in past week		
During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on national network or cable TV news about presidential politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q82a		
Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00		
Asked if watched network TV or cable news in past week		
<i>cE01[1-7] or cE02[1-7]</i>		
1 Great deal		
2 Some		
3 Not too much		
4 None		
998 Don't know		
999 No answer		
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cE05		
Paid attention to network TV or cable news about politics in past week		
During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on national network or cable TV news about politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q83a		
Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
Asked if watched network TV or cable news in past week		
<i>cE01[1-7] or cE02[1-7]</i>		
1 Great deal		
2 Some		
3 Not too much		
4 None		
998 Don't know		
999 No answer		
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Local TV		
cE06		
Watched local TV news in past week		
How many days in the past week did you watch the local TV news—for example, "Eyewitness News" or "Action News"? Q62c		
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS		
Range 0-7		
998 Don't know		
999 No answer		
+	+	+
rE06		
Watched local TV news in past week		
How many days in the past week did you watch the local TV news—for example, "Eyewitness News" or "Action News"? Q62c		
GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint		
Range 0-7		
998 Don't know		
999 No answer		
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cE07**Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week**

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on local TV news about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81b

Nat CS 28 Jan–6 Nov 00; NH CS 28–31 Jan 00; Super CS 28 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if watched local TV news in past week
cE06[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rE07**Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in past week**

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on local TV news about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched local TV news in past week
rE06[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rE07a**Paid attention to local TV news about presidential campaign in primary campaign**

In the time before the presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on the local TV news—for example, “Eyewitness News” or “Action News”? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q60c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rE07b
**Paid attention to local TV news about
presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

In the time before the Republican presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on the local TV news—for example, “Eyewitness News” or “Action News”? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q61c

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

rE07c
**Paid attention to local TV news about
presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the fall presidential campaign, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on the local TV news—for example, “Eyewitness News” or “Action News”? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q63c

Elect Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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cE08
Paid attention to local TV news about presidential politics in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on local TV news about presidential politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q82b

Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00

Asked if watched local TV news in past week

cE06[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cE09
Paid attention to local TV news about politics in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories on local TV news about politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q83b

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Asked if watched local TV news in past week

cE06[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Other TV

cE10
Watched late-night comedy in past week

During the past week, how many nights did you watch late-night comedy shows such as David Letterman or Jay Leno? Q84

Nat CS 26 Sep–6 Nov 00

Range 0-7

- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE10
Watched late-night comedy in past week

During the past week, how many nights did you watch late-night comedy shows such as David Letterman or Jay Leno? Q84

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Range 0-7

- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cE11				
Watch West Wing				
How often do you watch the television show The West Wing? Do you watch almost every week, do you watch once in a while, have you watched The West Wing only a few times or haven't you ever watched it? Q85				
Nat CS 4-19 Jan 01				
1	Every week			
2	Once in a while			
3	Few times			
4	Never			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cE12				
Have cable or satellite TV in home				
Does your home have either cable or satellite television? Q463				
Nat CS 9 Feb 00-19 Jan 01; Super CS 9 Feb-6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 10-18 Feb; MI CS				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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Newspapers				
cE13				
Read newspaper in past week				
How many days in the past week did you read a daily newspaper? Q62d				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
Range	0-7			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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rE13				
Read newspaper in past week				
How many days in the past week did you read a daily newspaper? Q62d				
GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint				
Range	0-7			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cE14**Newspaper read most in past week**

What newspaper did you read most the past week? Q64

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–19 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if read newspaper in past week

cE13[1-7]

- 1 Arizona Republic
- 2 Atlanta Constitution
- 3 Baltimore Sun
- 4 Boston Globe
- 5 Chicago Sun-Times
- 6 Chicago Tribune
- 7 Cleveland Plain Dealer
- 8 Dallas Morning News
- 9 Denver Post
- 10 Detroit Free Press
- 11 Houston Chronicle
- 12 Los Angeles Times
- 13 Miami Herald
- 14 Minneapolis Star Tribune
- 15 New York Daily News
- 16 New York Post
- 17 New York Times
- 18 Newark Star-Ledger
- 19 Newsday
- 20 Orange County Register
- 21 Oregonian
- 22 Philadelphia Inquirer
- 23 Rocky Mountain News
- 24 San Diego Union-Tribune
- 25 San Francisco Chronicle
- 26 San Jose Mercury News
- 27 St. Louis Post-Dispatch
- 28 St. Petersburg Times
- 29 USA Today
- 30 Wall Street Journal
- 31 Washington Post
- 32 Verbatim (cE14\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rE14**Newspaper read most in past week**

What newspaper did you read most the past week? Q64

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if read newspaper in past week

rE13[1-7]

- 1 Arizona Republic
- 2 Atlanta Constitution
- 3 Baltimore Sun
- 4 Boston Globe
- 5 Chicago Sun-Times
- 6 Chicago Tribune
- 7 Cleveland Plain Dealer
- 8 Dallas Morning News
- 9 Denver Post
- 10 Detroit Free Press
- 11 Houston Chronicle
- 12 Los Angeles Times
- 13 Miami Herald
- 14 Minneapolis Star Tribune
- 15 New York Daily News
- 16 New York Post
- 17 New York Times
- 18 Newark Star-Ledger
- 19 Newsday
- 20 Orange County Register
- 21 Oregonian
- 22 Philadelphia Inquirer
- 23 Rocky Mountain News
- 24 San Diego Union-Tribune
- 25 San Francisco Chronicle
- 26 San Jose Mercury News
- 27 St. Louis Post-Dispatch
- 28 St. Petersburg Times
- 29 USA Today
- 30 Wall Street Journal
- 31 Washington Post
- 32 Verbatim (rE14\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cE15

Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to newspaper articles about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81c

Nat CS 28 Jan–6 Nov 00; NH CS 28–31 Jan 00; Super CS 28 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if read newspaper in past week
cE13[1-7]

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| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Some |
| 3 | Not too much |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rE15

Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to newspaper articles about the campaign for president? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q81c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if read newspaper in past week
rE13[1-7]

- | | |
|-----|--------------|
| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Some |
| 3 | Not too much |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rE15a

Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

In the time before the presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president in daily newspapers? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q60d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

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| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Some |
| 3 | Not too much |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rE15b

Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign

In the time before the Republican presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president in daily newspapers? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q61d

SC Reint; MI Reint

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|-----|--------------|
| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Some |
| 3 | Not too much |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rE15c

Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

During the fall presidential campaign, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president in daily newspapers? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q63d

Elect Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cE16

Paid attention to newspaper news about presidential politics in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to newspaper articles about presidential politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q82c

Nat CS 8 Nov-19 Dec 00

Asked if read newspaper in past week

cE13[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cE17

Paid attention to newspaper news about politics in past week

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to newspaper articles about politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q83c

Nat CS 20 Dec 00-19 Jan 01

Asked if read newspaper in past week

cE13[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Talk radio

cE18

Listened to talk radio in past week

How many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues or politics?
Q62e

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- Range 0-7
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rE18

Listened to talk radio in past week

How many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues or politics?
Q62e

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

- Range 0-7
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rE18a

Paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

In the time before the presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues or politics?
A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q60e

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not too much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rE18b

Paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign

In the time before the Republican presidential primary [election], how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues or politics?
A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q61e

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not too much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rE18c**Paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the fall presidential campaign, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues or politics? A great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q63e

Elect Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cE19 (cE19.1 ... cE19.5)**Talk radio hosts listened to in past week**

Which talk radio hosts did you listen to the past week? Q71

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–19 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if listened to talk radio in past week

cE18[1-7]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Art Bell
- 2 Jim Bohannon
- 3 Bob Brinker
- 4 Dr. Joy Browne
- 5 Ken and Daria Dolan
- 6 Dr. Dean Edell
- 7 Bob Grant
- 8 Don Imus
- 9 John and Ken
- 10 Tom Joyner
- 11 Tom Leykis
- 12 G. Gordon Liddy
- 13 Rush Limbaugh
- 14 Michael Reagan
- 15 Dr. Laura Schlessinger
- 16 Doug Stephan
- 17 Howard Stern
- 18 Bruce Williams
- 19 Verbatim (cE19\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rE19 (rE19.1 ... rE19.5)**Talk radio hosts listened to in past week**

Which talk radio hosts did you listen to the past week? Q71

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if listened to talk radio in past week

rE18[1-7]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Art Bell
- 2 Jim Bohannon
- 3 Bob Brinker
- 4 Dr. Joy Browne
- 5 Ken and Daria Dolan
- 6 Dr. Dean Edell
- 7 Bob Grant
- 8 Don Imus
- 9 John and Ken
- 10 Tom Joyner
- 11 Tom Leykis
- 12 G. Gordon Liddy
- 13 Rush Limbaugh
- 14 Michael Reagan
- 15 Dr. Laura Schlessinger
- 16 Doug Stephan
- 17 Howard Stern
- 18 Bruce Williams
- 19 Verbatim (rE19\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rE19a (rE19a1 ... rE19a5)
Talk radio hosts listened to for news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

Which talk radio hosts did you listen to for campaign news [in the presidential primary campaign]? Q69

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

Asked if paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

rE18a[1-3]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Art Bell
- 2 Jim Bohannon
- 3 Bob Brinker
- 4 Dr. Joy Browne
- 5 Ken and Daria Dolan
- 6 Dr. Dean Edell
- 7 Bob Grant
- 8 Don Imus
- 9 John and Ken
- 10 Tom Joyner
- 11 Tom Leykis
- 12 G. Gordon Liddy
- 13 Rush Limbaugh
- 14 Michael Reagan
- 15 Dr. Laura Schlessinger
- 16 Doug Stephan
- 17 Howard Stern
- 18 Bruce Williams
- 19 Verbatim (rE19a\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE19b (rE19b1 ... rE19b5)
**Talk radio hosts listened to for news about
presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

Which talk radio hosts did you listen to for
campaign news [in the Republican presidential
primary campaign]? Q70

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if paid attention to talk radio news about
presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign

rE18b[1-3]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

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|-----|------------------------|
| 1 | Art Bell |
| 2 | Jim Bohannon |
| 3 | Bob Brinker |
| 4 | Dr. Joy Browne |
| 5 | Ken and Daria Dolan |
| 6 | Dr. Dean Edell |
| 7 | Bob Grant |
| 8 | Don Imus |
| 9 | John and Ken |
| 10 | Tom Joyner |
| 11 | Tom Leykis |
| 12 | G. Gordon Liddy |
| 13 | Rush Limbaugh |
| 14 | Michael Reagan |
| 15 | Dr. Laura Schlessinger |
| 16 | Doug Stephan |
| 17 | Howard Stern |
| 18 | Bruce Williams |
| 19 | Verbatim (rE19b\$) |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rE19c (rE19c1 ... rE19c5)
Talk radio hosts listened to for news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

Which talk radio hosts did you listen to for campaign news [in the fall campaign]? Q72

Elect Reint

Asked if paid attention to talk radio news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

rE18c[1-3]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Art Bell
- 2 Jim Bohannon
- 3 Bob Brinker
- 4 Dr. Joy Browne
- 5 Ken and Daria Dolan
- 6 Dr. Dean Edell
- 7 Bob Grant
- 8 Don Imus
- 9 John and Ken
- 10 Tom Joyner
- 11 Tom Leykis
- 12 G. Gordon Liddy
- 13 Rush Limbaugh
- 14 Michael Reagan
- 15 Dr. Laura Schlessinger
- 16 Doug Stephan
- 17 Howard Stern
- 18 Bruce Williams
- 19 Verbatim (rE19c\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Online information

cE20

Have online access

Do you have access to the Internet or the World Wide Web at home, at work or someplace else? Q73

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE20

Have online access

Do you have access to the Internet or the World Wide Web at home, at work or someplace else? Q73

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rE21b

Paid attention to online information about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign

In the time before your state’s Republican presidential primary election, how often did you see information about the campaign for president online? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q75

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if have online access

rE20[1]

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

rE21c

Paid attention to online information about presidential campaign in fall campaign

During the fall campaign, how often did you see information about the campaign for president online? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q79

Elect Reint

Asked if have online access

rE20[1]

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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	cE22			
	Saw online information about presidential politics in past week			
	How many days in the past week did you see information about presidential politics online? Q77			
	Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00			
	Asked if have online access			
	<i>cE20[1]</i>			
	Range 0-7			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cE23			
	Saw online information about politics in past week			
	How many days in the past week did you see information about politics online? Q78			
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	Asked if have online access			
	<i>cE20[1]</i>			
	Range 0-7			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cE24			
	Listened to talk radio online in past week			
	How many days in the past week did you use a computer to listen to political talk radio where people called in to talk about the campaign for president? Q80			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–27 Jan 00; IA CS; NH CS 14 Dec 99–27 Jan 00; Super CS 4–27 Jan 00			
	Asked if listened to talk radio and saw online information about presidential campaign in past week			
	<i>cE18[1-7] and cE21[1-7]</i>			
	Range 0-7			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+

Questioning unique to reinterviews

E-23

rE25

**Paid attention to Christian radio news about
presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

In the time before the Republican presidential
primary [election], how much attention did you
pay to stories about the campaign for president
on Christian radio? A great deal of attention,
some, not too much or no attention at all? Q61f

SC Reint; MI Reint

- | | |
|-----|--------------|
| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Some |
| 3 | Not too much |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

Media use : variable detail

In this section are questions measuring exposure to presidential primary debates and exposure to and evaluations of the Bush-Gore and Cheney-Lieberman debates.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-15:

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Notes on variables in this section: presidential primary debates

- For presidential primary debates, respondents were asked if they were aware of any of these debates (F01). If yes, they were asked if they watched any of them (F02 for cross-section interviews, F02a–b for reinterviews).
- In addition, for **cross-section interviews**, respondents were asked individually about any primary debates near the time of interview (F03–F34). For example, respondents interviewed 10 Jan 00 were asked if they were aware of and watched debates 5 Jan 00 (F09–F10), 6 Jan 00 (F11–F12), 7 Jan 00 (F13–F14) and 8 Jan 00 (F15–F16).

Bush-Gore debates

- **Through late October**, respondents were asked individually about Bush-Gore debates near the time of the interview (the 3 Oct debate, F35–F40; the 11 Oct debate, F41–F46; the 17 Oct debate, F47–F52). For cross-section interviews, this line of questioning was in effect through 29 Oct; for reinterviews, this line of questioning was in effect for post-debate reinterviews.
- **Starting late October**, respondents were asked about the three Bush-Gore debates generally (F53–F57). For cross-section interviews, this line of questioning was in effect starting 30 Oct; for reinterviews, this line of questioning was in effect for post-general election reinterviews.

For the Bush-Gore debates, respondents were asked if they watched the debate or debates (the 3 Oct debate, F35; the 11 Oct debate, F41; the 17 Oct debate, F47; the three debates generally, F53). If no, they were asked if they were aware of the debate or debates (F36, F42, F48, F54). Respondents who watched or were aware were asked if Bush or Gore performed better (F37, F43, F49, F55). Those who watched (but not those just aware) were asked if Bush performed as expected (F38, F44, F50, F56) and if Gore performed as expected (F39, F45, F51, F57).

Random question order: Bush's and Gore's performance FZ01 records the random order in which respondents who watched Bush-Gore debates were asked if Bush or Gore performed better, if Bush performed as expected and if Gore performed as expected.

Cheney-Lieberman debate

For the 5 Oct Cheney-Lieberman debate, respondents were asked if they watched the debate (F58) and if yes, if Cheney or Lieberman performed better (F59).

Presidential primary debates generally

cF01

Aware of any presidential primary debates

Have you heard or read anything about any debates or town hall meetings among the candidates for president? Q191

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF01

Aware of any presidential primary debates

Have you heard or read anything about any debates or town hall meetings among the candidates for president? Q191

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF02

Watched any presidential primary debates

Have you watched any of these debates or town hall meetings [among the candidates for president]? Q192

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if aware of any presidential primary debates

cF01[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF02a

Watched any GOP presidential primary debates

Thinking about the debates that were held before your state's presidential primary election among the Republican candidates, which of these best describes how much of these you saw? None at all, less than 15 minutes, 15 to 30 minutes, 30 minutes to one hour, one to two hours or more than two hours? Q195b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if aware of any presidential primary debates

rF01[1]

- 1 None
- 2 Less than 15 minutes
- 3 15 to 30 minutes
- 4 30 minutes to one hour
- 5 One to two hours
- 6 More than two hours
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

F-4		
Debates : variable detail		<div> <div>rF02b</div> <div> <div>Watched any Democratic presidential primary debates</div> <div>Thinking about the debates that were held before your state’s presidential primary election between Democrats Bill Bradley and Al Gore, which of these best describes how much of these you saw? None at all, less than 15 minutes, 15 to 30 minutes, 30 minutes to one hour, one to two hours or more than two hours? Q195a</div> <div>IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint</div> <div>Asked if aware of any presidential primary debates</div> <div>rF01[1]</div> <div> <div>1None</div> <div>2Less than 15 minutes</div> <div>315 to 30 minutes</div> <div>430 minutes to one hour</div> <div>5One to two hours</div> <div>6More than two hours</div> <div>998Don’t know</div> <div>999No answer</div> </div> </div> </div>
	<div> <div>Specific presidential primary debates</div> <div>cF03</div> <div>Aware of 13 Dec 99 GOP presidential debate in IA</div> <div>Have you heard or read anything about the debate that took place Monday in Iowa among the Republican candidates (13 Dec 99)? Q193a</div> <div>Nat CS 14–18 Dec 99; IA CS 14–18 Dec 99; NH CS 14–18 Dec 99</div> <div> <div>1Yes</div> <div>2No</div> <div>998Don’t know</div> <div>999No answer</div> </div> </div>	
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cF04

Watched 13 Dec 99 GOP presidential debate in IA

Did you watch this [the debate that took place Monday in Iowa among the Republican candidates (13 Dec 99)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194a

Nat CS 14–18 Dec 99; IA CS 14–18 Dec 99; NH CS 14–18 Dec 99

Asked if aware of debate

cF03[1]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF05

Aware of 16 Dec 99 McCain-Bradley town hall in NH

Have you heard or read anything about the town hall meeting between Bill Bradley and John McCain Thursday in New Hampshire (16 Dec 99)? Q193b

Nat CS 17–22 Dec 99; IA CS 17–22 Dec 99; NH CS 17–22 Dec 99

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF06

Watched 16 Dec 99 McCain-Bradley town hall in NH

Did you watch this [the town hall meeting between Bill Bradley and John McCain Thursday in New Hampshire (16 Dec 99)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194b

Nat CS 17–22 Dec 99; IA CS 17–22 Dec 99; NH CS 17–22 Dec 99

Asked if aware of debate

cF05[1]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cF07		
	Aware of 17 Dec 99 Gore-Bradley appearance on Nightline		
	Have you heard or read anything about the joint appearance Friday on Nightline between Bill Bradley and Al Gore (17 Dec 99)? Q193c		
	Nat CS 18–23 Dec 99; IA CS 18–23 Dec 99; NH CS 18–23 Dec 99		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF08		
	Watched 17 Dec 99 Gore-Bradley appearance on Nightline		
	Did you watch this [the joint appearance Friday on Nightline between Bill Bradley and Al Gore (17 Dec 99)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194c		
	Nat CS 18–23 Dec 99; IA CS 18–23 Dec 99; NH CS 18–23 Dec 99		
	Asked if aware of debate		
	<i>cF07[1]</i>		
	1 All		
	2 Most		
	3 Some		
	4 Did not watch		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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	cF09		
	Aware of 5 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate Wednesday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in New Hampshire (5 Jan 00)? Q193d		
	Nat CS 6–11 Jan 00; IA CS 6–11 Jan 00; NH CS 6–11 Jan 00; Super CS 6–11 Jan 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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cF10		
Watched 5 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH		
Did you watch this [the debate Wednesday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in New Hampshire (5 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194d		
Nat CS 6–11 Jan 00; IA CS 6–11 Jan 00; NH CS 6–11 Jan 00; Super CS 6–11 Jan 00		
Asked if aware of debate		
<i>cF09[1]</i>		
1	All	
2	Most	
3	Some	
4	Did not watch	
998	Don't know	
999	No answer	
+	+	+
cF11		
Aware of 6 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH		
Have you heard or read anything about the debate that took place Thursday in New Hampshire among the Republican candidates (6 Jan 00)? Q193e		
Nat CS 7–12 Jan 00; IA CS 7–12 Jan 00; NH CS 7–12 Jan 00; Super CS 7–12 Jan 00		
1	Yes	
2	No	
998	Don't know	
999	No answer	
+	+	+
cF12		
Watched 6 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH		
Did you watch this [the debate that took place Thursday in New Hampshire among the Republican candidates (6 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194e		
Nat CS 7–12 Jan 00; IA CS 7–12 Jan 00; NH CS 7–12 Jan 00; Super CS 7–12 Jan 00		
Asked if aware of debate		
<i>cF11[1]</i>		
1	All	
2	Most	
3	Some	
4	Did not watch	
998	Don't know	
999	No answer	
+	+	+

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	cF13		
	Aware of 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate that took place {Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS: Friday SC CS: January} in South Carolina among the Republican candidates (7 Jan 00)? Q193f		
	Nat CS 8–13 Jan 00; IA CS 8–13 Jan 00; NH CS 8–13 Jan 00; Super CS 8–13 Jan 00; SC CS 1–15 Feb		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF14		
	Watched 7 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in SC		
	Did you watch this [the debate that took place {Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS: Friday SC CS: January} in South Carolina among the Republican candidates (7 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194f		
	Nat CS 8–13 Jan 00; IA CS 8–13 Jan 00; NH CS 8–13 Jan 00; Super CS 8–13 Jan 00; SC CS 1–15 Feb		
	Asked if aware of debate		
	cF13[1]		
	1 All		
	2 Most		
	3 Some		
	4 Did not watch		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF15		
	Aware of 8 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate between Bill Bradley and Al Gore Saturday in Iowa (8 Jan 00)? Q193g		
	Nat CS 9–14 Jan 00; IA CS 9–14 Jan 00; NH CS 9–14 Jan 00; Super CS 9–14 Jan 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+

cF16

Watched 8 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA

Did you watch this [the debate between Bill Bradley and Al Gore Saturday in Iowa (8 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194g

Nat CS 9–14 Jan 00; IA CS 9–14 Jan 00; NH CS 9–14 Jan 00; Super CS 9–14 Jan 00

Asked if aware of debate

cF15[1]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF17

Aware of 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI

Have you heard or read anything about the debate that took place {Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS: Monday | MI CS: January} in Michigan among the Republican candidates (10 Jan 00)? Q193h

Nat CS 11–16 Jan 00; IA CS 11–16 Jan 00; NH CS 11–16 Jan 00; Super CS 11–16 Jan 00; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF18

Watched 10 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in MI

Did you watch this [the debate that took place {Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS: Monday | MI CS: January} in Michigan among the Republican candidates (10 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194h

Nat CS 11–16 Jan 00; IA CS 11–16 Jan 00; NH CS 11–16 Jan 00; Super CS 11–16 Jan 00; MI CS

Asked if aware of debate

cF17[1]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

F-10

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	cF19		
	Aware of 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate that took place Saturday in Iowa among the Republican candidates (15 Jan 00)? Q193i		
	Nat CS 16–21 Jan 00; IA CS 16–21 Jan 00; NH CS 16–21 Jan 00; Super CS 16–21 Jan 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF20		
	Watched 15 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in IA		
	Did you watch this [the debate that took place Saturday in Iowa among the Republican candidates (15 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194i		
	Nat CS 16–21 Jan 00; IA CS 16–21 Jan 00; NH CS 16–21 Jan 00; Super CS 16–21 Jan 00		
	Asked if aware of debate		
	<i>cF19[1]</i>		
	1 All		
	2 Most		
	3 Some		
	4 Did not watch		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF21		
	Aware of 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate Monday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in Iowa (17 Jan 00)? Q193j		
	Nat CS 18–22 Jan 00; IA CS 18–22 Jan 00; NH CS 18–22 Jan 00; Super CS 18–22 Jan 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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cF22				
Watched 17 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in IA				
Did you watch this [the debate Monday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in Iowa (17 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194j				
Nat CS 18–22 Jan 00; IA CS 18–22 Jan 00; NH CS 18–22 Jan 00; Super CS 18–22 Jan 00				
Asked if aware of debate				
cF21[1]				
1	All			
2	Most			
3	Some			
4	Did not watch			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cF23				
Aware of 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH				
Have you heard or read anything about the debate that took place Wednesday in New Hampshire among the Republican candidates (26 Jan 00)? Q193k				
Nat CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00; NH CS 27–31 Jan 00; Super CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cF24				
Watched 26 Jan 00 GOP presidential debate in NH				
Did you watch this [the debate that took place Wednesday in New Hampshire among the Republican candidates (26 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194k				
Nat CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00; NH CS 27–31 Jan 00; Super CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00				
Asked if aware of debate				
cF23[1]				
1	All			
2	Most			
3	Some			
4	Did not watch			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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F-12

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	cF25		
	Aware of 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate Wednesday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in New Hampshire (26 Jan 00)? Q193l		
	Nat CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00; NH CS 27–31 Jan 00; Super CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF26		
	Watched 26 Jan 00 Gore-Bradley debate in NH		
	Did you watch this [the debate Wednesday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in New Hampshire (26 Jan 00)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194l		
	Nat CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00; NH CS 27–31 Jan 00; Super CS 27 Jan–1 Feb 00		
	Asked if aware of debate		
	<i>cF25[1]</i>		
	1 All		
	2 Most		
	3 Some		
	4 Did not watch		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF27		
	Aware of 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate Tuesday among George W. Bush, Alan Keyes and John McCain in South Carolina (15 Feb)? Q193m		
	Nat CS 16–21 Feb; Super CS 16–21 Feb; SC CS 16–18 Feb; MI CS 16–21 Feb		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+

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cF28				
Watched 15 Feb Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in SC				
Did you watch this [the debate Tuesday among George W. Bush, Alan Keyes and John McCain in South Carolina (15 Feb)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194m				
Nat CS 16–21 Feb; Super CS 16–21 Feb; SC CS 16–18 Feb; MI CS 16–21 Feb				
Asked if aware of debate				
cF27[1]				
1	All			
2	Most			
3	Some			
4	Did not watch			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cF29				
Aware of 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY				
Have you heard or read anything about the debate Monday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in New York (21 Feb)? Q193n				
Nat CS 22–27 Feb; Super CS 22–27 Feb				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cF30				
Watched 21 Feb Gore-Bradley debate in NY				
Did you watch this [the debate Monday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in New York (21 Feb)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194n				
Nat CS 22–27 Feb; Super CS 22–27 Feb				
Asked if aware of debate				
cF29[1]				
1	All			
2	Most			
3	Some			
4	Did not watch			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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F-14

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	cF31		
	Aware of 1 Mar Gore-Bradley debate in CA		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate Wednesday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in California (1 Mar)? Q193o		
	Nat CS 2-7 Mar; Super CS 2-6 Mar; Sec CS 2-7 Mar		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF32		
	Watched 1 Mar Gore-Bradley debate in CA		
	Did you watch this [the debate Wednesday between Bill Bradley and Al Gore in California (1 Mar)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194o		
	Nat CS 2-7 Mar; Super CS 2-6 Mar; Sec CS 2-7 Mar		
	Asked if aware of debate		
	cF31[1]		
	1 All		
	2 Most		
	3 Some		
	4 Did not watch		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cF33		
	Aware of 2 Mar Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in CA		
	Have you heard or read anything about the debate Thursday among George W. Bush, Alan Keyes and John McCain in California (2 Mar)? Q193p		
	Nat CS 3-8 Mar; Super CS 3-6 Mar; Sec CS 3-8 Mar		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+

cF34

Watched 2 Mar Bush-McCain-Keyes debate in CA

Did you watch this [the debate Thursday among George W. Bush, Alan Keyes and John McCain in California (2 Mar)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194p

Nat CS 3–8 Mar; Super CS 3–6 Mar; Sec CS 3–8 Mar

Asked if aware of debate

cF33[1]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF35

Watched 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 3 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if interviewed after debate

{3 Oct: cTIME[>=2230] or cTIME[<=500]}

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

cF35

Watched 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 3 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210c

Nat CS 3–24 Oct

Asked if interviewed after debate

{3 Oct: cTIME[>=2230] or cTIME[<=500]}

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF35

Watched 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 3 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if interviewed after debate

{3 Oct: cTIME[>=2230] or cTIME[<=500]}

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF36

Did not watch but aware of 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debate 3 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? Q216c

Nat CS 3–24 Oct

Asked if did not watch debate

cF35[4-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF36

Did not watch but aware of 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debate 3 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? Q216c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if did not watch debate

rF35[4-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF37**Bush or Gore performed better in 3 Oct debate**

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in this [3 Oct] debate, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q213c, Q217c

Nat CS 3–24 Oct

Asked if watched or aware of debate

cF35[1-3] or cF36[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF38**Bush performed as expected in 3 Oct debate**

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 3 Oct debate]? Q214c

Nat CS 3–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF35[1-3]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF39**Gore performed as expected in 3 Oct debate**

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 3 Oct debate]? Q215c

Nat CS 3–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF35[1-3]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rF37**Bush or Gore performed better in 3 Oct debate**

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in this [3 Oct] debate, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q213c, Q217c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched or aware of debate

rF35[1-3] or rF36[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rF38**Bush performed as expected in 3 Oct debate**

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 3 Oct debate]? Q214c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF35[1-3]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rF39**Gore performed as expected in 3 Oct debate**

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 3 Oct debate]? Q215c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF35[1-3]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF40

Network watched for 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

On what television network or station did you watch this [3 Oct Bush-Gore] debate? Q211c

Nat CS 3–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF35[1-3]

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| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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11 Oct Bush-Gore debate

cF41

Watched 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 11 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210b

Nat CS 11–24 Oct

Asked if interviewed after debate

{11 Oct: cTIME[>=2230] or cTIME[<=500]}

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| 1 | All |
| 2 | Most |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF40

Network watched for 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate

On what television network or station did you watch this [3 Oct Bush-Gore] debate? Q211c

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF35[1-3]

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| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF41

Watched 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 11 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210b

11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

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| 1 | All |
| 2 | Most |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
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Debates : variable detail

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cF42**Did not watch but aware of 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate**

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debate 11 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? Q216b

Nat CS 11–24 Oct

Asked if did not watch debate

cF41[4-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF43**Bush or Gore performed better in 11 Oct debate**

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in this [11 Oct] debate, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q213b, Q217b

Nat CS 11–24 Oct

Asked if watched or aware of debate

cF41[1-3] or cF42[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF44**Bush performed as expected in 11 Oct debate**

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 11 Oct debate]? Q214b

Nat CS 11–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF41[1-3]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rF42**Did not watch but aware of 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate**

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debate 11 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? Q216b

11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if did not watch debate

rF41[4-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rF43**Bush or Gore performed better in 11 Oct debate**

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in this [11 Oct] debate, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q213b, Q217b

11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched or aware of debate

rF41[1-3] or rF42[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rF44**Bush performed as expected in 11 Oct debate**

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 11 Oct debate]? Q214b

11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF41[1-3]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF45

Gore performed as expected in 11 Oct debate

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 11 Oct debate]? Q215b

Nat CS 11–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF41[1-3]

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| 1 | Better |
| 2 | Less well |
| 3 | As expected |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cF46

Network watched for 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate

On what television network or station did you watch this [11 Oct Bush-Gore] debate? Q211b

Nat CS 11–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF41[1-3]

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| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF45

Gore performed as expected in 11 Oct debate

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 11 Oct debate]? Q215b

11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF41[1-3]

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| 1 | Better |
| 2 | Less well |
| 3 | As expected |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF46

Network watched for 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate

On what television network or station did you watch this [11 Oct Bush-Gore] debate? Q211b

11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF41[1-3]

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| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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17 Oct Bush-Gore debate**cF47****Watched 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate**

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 17 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210a

Nat CS 17–29 Oct

Asked if interviewed after debate

{17 Oct: cTIME[>=2230] or cTIME[<=500]}

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF48**Did not watch but aware of 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate**

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debate 17 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? Q216a

Nat CS 17–29 Oct

Asked if did not watch debate

cF47[4-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF49**Bush or Gore performed better in 17 Oct debate**

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in this [17 Oct] debate, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q213a, Q217a

Nat CS 17–29 Oct

Asked if watched or aware of debate

cF47[1-3] or cF48[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF47**Watched 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate**

Did you happen to watch the presidential debate 17 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q210a

17 Oct Deb Reint

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF48**Did not watch but aware of 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate**

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debate 17 October between George W. Bush and Al Gore? Q216a

17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if did not watch debate

rF47[4-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF49**Bush or Gore performed better in 17 Oct debate**

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in this [17 Oct] debate, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q213a, Q217a

17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched or aware of debate

rF47[1-3] or rF48[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF50

Bush performed as expected in 17 Oct debate

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 17 Oct debate]? Q214a

Nat CS 17–29 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF47[1-3]

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| 1 | Better |
| 2 | Less well |
| 3 | As expected |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cF51

Gore performed as expected in 17 Oct debate

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 17 Oct debate]? Q215a

Nat CS 17–29 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF47[1-3]

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| 1 | Better |
| 2 | Less well |
| 3 | As expected |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cF52

Network watched for 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate

On what television network or station did you watch this [17 Oct Bush-Gore] debate? Q211a

Nat CS 17–29 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF47[1-3]

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| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF50

Bush performed as expected in 17 Oct debate

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 17 Oct debate]? Q214a

17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF47[1-3]

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| 1 | Better |
| 2 | Less well |
| 3 | As expected |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF51

Gore performed as expected in 17 Oct debate

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the 17 Oct debate]? Q215a

17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF47[1-3]

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| 1 | Better |
| 2 | Less well |
| 3 | As expected |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rF52

Network watched for 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate

On what television network or station did you watch this [17 Oct Bush-Gore] debate? Q211a

17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF47[1-3]

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Debates : variable detail

Bush-Gore debates in general

cF53

Watched any Bush-Gore debates

Did you happen to watch any of the presidential debates this fall? (If yes) Which of these best describes how much of the debates you saw? Less than 15 minutes, 15 to 30 minutes, 30 minutes to one hour, one to two hours or more than two hours? Q220

Nat CS 30 Oct–27 Nov 00

- 1 Less than 15 minutes
- 2 15 to 30 minutes
- 3 30 minutes to one hour
- 4 One to two hours
- 5 More than two hours
- 6 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF54

Did not watch but aware of any Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? Q224

Nat CS 30 Oct–27 Nov 00

Asked if did not watch any Bush-Gore debates
cF53[6-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF55

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in the [fall] debates, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q222, Q225

Nat CS 30 Oct–27 Nov 00

Asked if watched or aware of any Bush-Gore debates
cF53[1-5] or cF54[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF53

Watched any Bush-Gore debates

Did you happen to watch any of the presidential debates this fall? (If yes) Which of these best describes how much of the debates you saw? Less than 15 minutes, 15 to 30 minutes, 30 minutes to one hour, one to two hours or more than two hours? Q220

Elect Reint

- 1 Less than 15 minutes
- 2 15 to 30 minutes
- 3 30 minutes to one hour
- 4 One to two hours
- 5 More than two hours
- 6 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF54

Did not watch but aware of any Bush-Gore debates

Did you hear or read anything about the presidential debates held this fall? Q224

Elect Reint

Asked if did not watch any Bush-Gore debates
rF53[6-999]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF55

Bush or Gore performed better in Bush-Gore debates

(From what you have heard or read,) who do you think performed best in the [fall] debates, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q222, Q225

Elect Reint

Asked if watched or aware of any Bush-Gore debates
rF53[1-5] or rF54[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF56

Bush performed as expected in debates with Gore

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the fall debates]? Q223a

Nat CS 30 Oct–27 Nov 00

Asked if watched any Bush-Gore debates

cF53[1-5]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF56

Bush performed as expected in debates with Gore

Did George W. Bush perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the fall debates]? Q223a

Elect Reint

Asked if watched any Bush-Gore debates

rF53[1-5]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cF57

Gore performed as expected in debates with Bush

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the fall debates]? Q223b

Nat CS 30 Oct–27 Nov 00

Asked if watched any Bush-Gore debates

cF53[1-5]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF57

Gore performed as expected in debates with Bush

Did Al Gore perform better than you expected, less well than you expected or about as you expected [in the fall debates]? Q223b

Elect Reint

Asked if watched any Bush-Gore debates

rF53[1-5]

- 1 Better
- 2 Less well
- 3 As expected
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Cheney-Lieberman debate

cF58

Watched Cheney-Lieberman debate

Did you happen to watch the vice presidential debate 5 October between Dick Cheney and Joe Lieberman? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q218

Nat CS 6–24 Oct

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rF58

Watched Cheney-Lieberman debate

Did you happen to watch the vice presidential debate 5 October between Dick Cheney and Joe Lieberman? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q218

3 Oct Deb Reint 6–10 Oct; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cF59**Cheney or Lieberman performed better in debate**

Who do you think performed best in the vice presidential debate, Dick Cheney or Joe Lieberman? Q219

Nat CS 6–24 Oct

Asked if watched debate

cF58[1-3]

- 1 Cheney
- 2 Lieberman
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Random order**cFZ01****Random question order for evaluations of Bush-Gore debates**

Q212, Q221

Nat CS 3 Oct–27 Nov 00

Recorded if watched any Bush-Gore debates

cF35[1-3] or cF41[1-3] or cF47[1-3] or cF53[1-5]

- 1 Bush or Gore better (cF37, cF43, cF49, cF55), Bush as expected (cF38, cF44, cF50, cF56), Gore as expected (cF39, cF45, cF51, cF57)
- 2 Bush or Gore better, Gore as expected, Bush as expected
- 3 Bush as expected, Gore as expected, Bush or Gore better
- 4 Gore as expected, Bush as expected, Bush or Gore better

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rF59**Cheney or Lieberman performed better in debate**

Who do you think performed best in the vice presidential debate, Dick Cheney or Joe Lieberman? Q219

3 Oct Deb Reint 6–10 Oct; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if watched debate

rF58[1-3]

- 1 Cheney
- 2 Lieberman
- 3 No difference
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rFZ01**Random question order for evaluations of Bush-Gore debates**

Q212, Q221

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Recorded if watched any Bush-Gore debates

rF35[1-3] or rF41[1-3] or rF47[1-3] or rF53[1-5]

- 1 Bush or Gore better (rF37, rF43, rF49, rF55), Bush as expected (rF38, rF44, rF50, rF56), Gore as expected (rF39, rF45, rF51, rF57)
- 2 Bush or Gore better, Gore as expected, Bush as expected
- 3 Bush as expected, Gore as expected, Bush or Gore better
- 4 Gore as expected, Bush as expected, Bush or Gore better

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In this section are questions measuring exposure to the 31 Jul–3 Aug Republican and 14–17 Aug Democratic presidential nominating conventions.

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GOP convention

cG01

Watched GOP convention

Thinking about the Republican Party convention {through 3 Aug: being held | starting 4 Aug: held} in Philadelphia, {have you been | were you} able to watch or listen to any of the television or radio broadcast of the convention? By this I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) In total, {have you watched | did you watch} just a few minutes, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more? Q205

Nat CS 31 Jul-1 Oct

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rG01

Watched GOP convention

Thinking about the Republican Party convention held in Philadelphia, were you able to watch or listen to any of the television or radio broadcast of the convention? By this I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) In total, did you watch just a few minutes, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more? Q205

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cG02

Watched Monday of GOP convention

Thinking specifically about when you saw the convention, did you watch or listen to any of the Republican convention Monday night? Again, I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) Did you watch just a few minutes Monday, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more? Q208a

Nat CS 1-6 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Watched Tuesday of GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- $+$

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Watched Wednesday of GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- $+$

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cG05

Watched Thursday of GOP convention

Thinking specifically about when you saw the convention, did you watch or listen to any of the Republican convention Thursday night? Again, I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) Did you watch just a few minutes Thursday, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more?
Q208d

Nat CS 4–6 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rG06

Watched Laura Bush's GOP convention speech

Did you see or hear any of Laura Bush's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207a

GOP Conv Reint

Asked if watched GOP convention

rG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cG06

Watched Laura Bush's GOP convention speech

Did you see or hear any of Laura Bush's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207a

Nat CS 1–6 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rG06

Watched Laura Bush's GOP convention speech

Did you see or hear any of Laura Bush's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207a

GOP Conv Reint

Asked if watched GOP convention

rG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG07**Watched Colin Powell's GOP convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Colin Powell's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207b

Nat CS 1–10 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG08**Watched McCain's GOP convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of John McCain's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207c

Nat CS 2–10 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG09**Watched Cheney's GOP convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Dick Cheney's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207d

Nat CS 3–10 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rG07**Watched Colin Powell's GOP convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Colin Powell's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207b

GOP Conv Reint

Asked if watched GOP convention

rG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rG08**Watched McCain's GOP convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of John McCain's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207c

GOP Conv Reint

Asked if watched GOP convention

rG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rG09**Watched Cheney's GOP convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Dick Cheney's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207d

GOP Conv Reint

Asked if watched GOP convention

rG01[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG10

Watched Bush's GOP convention speech

Did you see or hear any of George W. Bush's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207e

Nat CS 4-10 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

- | | |
|-----|---------------|
| 1 | All |
| 2 | Most |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cG11

Network watched most for GOP convention

The Republican convention {through 3 Aug: is being | starting 4 Aug: was} carried on many different television and radio networks. Which network {have you watched or listened | did you watch or listen} to most for broadcast of the actual convention? Q206

Nat CS 2-6 Aug

Asked if watched GOP convention

cG01[1-4]

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | ABC |
| 2 | CBS |
| 3 | NBC |
| 4 | CNN |
| 5 | FOX |
| 6 | MSNBC |
| 7 | PBS |
| 8 | C-SPAN |
| 9 | NPR |
| 10 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rG10

Watched Bush's GOP convention speech

Did you see or hear any of George W. Bush's speech at the Republican convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q207e

GOP Conv Reint

Asked if watched GOP convention

rG01[1-4]

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|-----|---------------|
| 1 | All |
| 2 | Most |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Presidential nominating conventions : variable detail

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Democratic convention

cG12

Watched Democratic convention

Thinking about the Democratic Party convention {through 17 Aug: being held | starting 18 Aug: held} in Los Angeles, {have you been | were you} able to watch or listen to any of the television or radio broadcast of the convention? By this I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) In total, {have you watched | did you watch} just a few minutes, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more? Q201

Nat CS 14 Aug–1 Oct

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rG12

Watched Democratic convention

Thinking about the Democratic Party convention held in Los Angeles, were you able to watch or listen to any of the television or radio broadcast of the convention? By this I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) In total, did you watch just a few minutes, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more? Q201

Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG13

Watched Monday of Democratic convention

Thinking specifically about when you saw the convention, did you watch or listen to any of the Democratic convention Monday night? Again, I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) Did you watch just a few minutes Monday, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more? Q204a

Nat CS 17–20 Aug

Asked if watched Democratic convention

cG12[1-4]

- 1 Few minutes
- 2 Half hour
- 3 One hour
- 4 Two hours or more
- 5 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG14				
Watched Tuesday of Democratic convention				
Thinking specifically about when you saw the convention, did you watch or listen to any of the Democratic convention Tuesday night? Again, I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) Did you watch just a few minutes Tuesday, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more?				
Q204b				
Nat CS 17-20 Aug				
Asked if watched Democratic convention				
cG12[1-4]				
1	Few minutes			
2	Half hour			
3	One hour			
4	Two hours or more			
5	Did not watch			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cG15				
Watched Wednesday of Democratic convention				
Thinking specifically about when you saw the convention, did you watch or listen to any of the Democratic convention Wednesday night? Again, I mean watching or listening to the actual convention, not news reports about it. (If yes) Did you watch just a few minutes Wednesday, about half an hour, one hour or two hours or more?				
Q204c				
Nat CS 17-20 Aug				
Asked if watched Democratic convention				
cG12[1-4]				
1	Few minutes			
2	Half hour			
3	One hour			
4	Two hours or more			
5	Did not watch			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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Watched Thursday of Democratic convention

Nat CS 18–20 Aug

Asked if watched Democratic convention

cG12[1-4]

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| 1 | Few minutes |
| 2 | Half hour |
| 3 | One hour |
| 4 | Two hours or more |
| 5 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rG17

Watched Hillary Clinton's Democratic convention speech

Did you see or hear any of Hillary Clinton's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203a

Nat CS 15–24 Aug

Asked if watched Democratic convention

cG12[1-4]

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|-----|---------------|
| 1 | All |
| 2 | Most |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

Watched Hillary Clinton's Democratic convention speech

Did you see or hear any of Hillary Clinton's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203a

Dem Conv Reint

Asked if watched Democratic convention

rG12[1-4]

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| 1 | All |
| 2 | Most |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Did not watch |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cG18**Watched Bill Clinton's Democratic convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Bill Clinton's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203b

Nat CS 15–24 Aug

Asked if watched Democratic convention
cG12[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG19**Watched Bradley's Democratic convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Bill Bradley's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203c

Nat CS 17–24 Aug

Asked if watched Democratic convention
cG12[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cG20**Watched Lieberman's Democratic convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Joe Lieberman's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203d

Nat CS 17–24 Aug

Asked if watched Democratic convention
cG12[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rG18**Watched Bill Clinton's Democratic convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Bill Clinton's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203b

Dem Conv Reint

Asked if watched Democratic convention
rG12[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rG19**Watched Bradley's Democratic convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Bill Bradley's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203c

Dem Conv Reint

Asked if watched Democratic convention
rG12[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rG20**Watched Lieberman's Democratic convention speech**

Did you see or hear any of Joe Lieberman's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203d

Dem Conv Reint

Asked if watched Democratic convention
rG12[1-4]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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G-12	+	cG21 Watched Gore's Democratic convention speech Did you see or hear any of Al Gore's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203e Nat CS 18-24 Aug Asked if watched Democratic convention <i>cG12[1-4]</i> 1 All 2 Most 3 Some 4 Did not watch 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+	+	rG21 Watched Gore's Democratic convention speech Did you see or hear any of Al Gore's speech at the Democratic convention? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q203e Dem Conv Reint Asked if watched Democratic convention <i>rG12[1-4]</i> 1 All 2 Most 3 Some 4 Did not watch 998 Don't know 999 No answer
		cG22 Network watched most for Democratic convention The Democratic convention {through 17 Aug: is being starting 18 Aug: was} carried on many different television and radio networks. Which network {have you watched or listened did you watch or listen} to most for broadcast of the actual convention? Q202 Nat CS 17-20 Aug Asked if watched Democratic convention <i>cG12[1-4]</i> 1 ABC 2 CBS 3 NBC 4 CNN 5 FOX 6 MSNBC 7 PBS 8 C-SPAN 9 NPR 10 Other 998 Don't know 999 No answer			
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In this section are questions measuring:

- exposure to and evaluations of presidential campaign advertising;
- exposure to other TV appearances by presidential candidates (other than debates (section F), nominating conventions (G) and speeches regarding the general election outcome and disputed Florida vote (S));
- exposure to the 2000 State of the Union speech;
- exposure to inaugural addresses.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-19:

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Advertising generally

cH01

Watched presidential campaign ads in past week

In the past week, have you seen any television ads for or against a presidential candidate?

Q197

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Jul

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cH02

Watched more ads for Bush or Gore in past week

Which candidate were the ads [you saw in the past week] about? George W. Bush, Al Gore or both? Q198

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Jul

Asked if watched presidential campaign ads in past week

cH01[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Both
- 4 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cH03

Bush or Gore talked about more in ads watched in past week

Which candidate was talked about most [in the ads you saw in the past week], George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q199

Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Jul

Asked if watched ads for both Bush and Gore in past week

cH02[3]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cH04		
	More positive or negative things about Bush in ads watched in past week		
	Did the ads you saw in the past week say more positive things or more negative things about George W. Bush? Q200a		
	Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Jul		
	Asked if watched more ads for Bush than Gore in past week		
	<i>cH02[1] or cH03[1]</i>		
	1 Positive		
	2 Negative		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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	cH05		
	More positive or negative things about Gore in ads watched in past week		
	Did the ads you saw in the past week say more positive things or more negative things about Al Gore? Q200b		
	Nat CS 4 Apr–27 Jul		
	Asked if watched more ads for Gore than Bush in past week		
	<i>cH02[2] or cH03[2]</i>		
	1 Positive		
	2 Negative		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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	Specific ads		
	cH06		
	Aware of 2 Mar Bradley five-minute ad		
	Have you heard or read anything about Bill Bradley's five-minute advertisement on network television Thursday night (2 Mar)? Q193q		
	Nat CS 3–8 Mar; Super CS 3–6 Mar; Sec CS 3–8 Mar		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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Watched 2 Mar Bradley five-minute ad

Did you watch this [Bill Bradley's five-minute advertisement on network television Thursday night (2 Mar)]? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q194q

Nat CS 3–8 Mar; Super CS 3–6 Mar; Sec CS 3–8 Mar

Asked if aware of ad

cH06[1]

- 1 All
- 2 Most
- 3 Some
- 4 Did not watch
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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+ cH08

Aware of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes

There is an ad that says George W. Bush broke his promise as governor of Texas not to raise sales taxes. Have you seen or heard this ad or heard or read about it? Q245

Nat CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; SC CS 1–13 Feb

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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+ cH09

Sponsor of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes

Do you know which candidate or group sponsored the ad [saying Bush broke his promise not to raise sales taxes]? Q246

Nat CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; SC CS 1–13 Feb

Asked if aware of ad

cH08[1]

- 1 Forbes
- 2 Verbatim (cH09\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Aware of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes

There is an ad that says George W. Bush broke his promise as governor of Texas not to raise sales taxes. Have you seen or heard this ad or heard or read about it? Q245

IA Reint; NH Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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+ rH09

Sponsor of ad about Bush breaking promise on sales taxes

Do you know which candidate or group sponsored the ad [saying Bush broke his promise not to raise sales taxes]? Q246

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of ad

rH08[1]

- 1 Forbes
- 2 Verbatim (rH09\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cH10**Believe Bush broke promise on sales taxes**

Do you believe that George W. Bush broke his promise not to raise sales taxes, or don't you believe this? Q247

Nat CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; SC CS 1–13 Feb

Asked if aware of ad

cH08[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cH11**Aware of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history**

There is an ad that says George W. Bush signed the biggest tax cut in Texas history. Have you seen or heard this ad or heard or read about it? Q248

Nat CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; SC CS 1–13 Feb

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cH12**Sponsor of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history**

Do you know which candidate or group sponsored the ad [saying Bush signed the biggest tax cut in Texas history]? Q249

Nat CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; SC CS 1–13 Feb

Asked if aware of ad

cH11[1]

- 1 Republican Leadership Council/front organization for Bush
- 2 Verbatim (cH12\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rH10**Believe Bush broke promise on sales taxes**

Do you believe that George W. Bush broke his promise not to raise sales taxes, or don't you believe this? Q247

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of ad

rH08[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rH11**Aware of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history**

There is an ad that says George W. Bush signed the biggest tax cut in Texas history. Have you seen or heard this ad or heard or read about it? Q248

IA Reint; NH Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rH12**Sponsor of ad about Bush signing biggest tax cut in Texas history**

Do you know which candidate or group sponsored the ad [saying Bush signed the biggest tax cut in Texas history]? Q249

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of ad

rH11[1]

- 1 Republican Leadership Council/front organization for Bush
- 2 Verbatim (rH12\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cH13

Believe Bush signed biggest tax cut in Texas history

Do you believe that George W. Bush signed the biggest tax cut in Texas history, or don't you believe this? Q250

Nat CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; IA CS 21–23 Jan 00; NH CS 21–31 Jan 00; Super CS 21 Jan–13 Feb 00; SC CS 1–13 Feb

Asked if aware of ad

cH11[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cH14

Aware of ad about Gore reinventing self

A number of political ads are now being aired. There is an ad with a television showing different pictures of Al Gore and a woman's voice complaining that Gore is reinventing himself again. Have you seen or heard this ad or read about it? Q277

Nat CS 5 Sep–24 Oct

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Other TV appearances

cH15

Watched Gore on Oprah

Did you happen to see Al Gore's appearance on the Oprah TV show? Q209a

Nat CS 12–17 Sep

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rH13

Believe Bush signed biggest tax cut in Texas history

Do you believe that George W. Bush signed the biggest tax cut in Texas history, or don't you believe this? Q250

IA Reint; NH Reint

Asked if aware of ad

rH11[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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		cH16		
		Watched Bush on Oprah		
		Did you happen to see George W. Bush's appearance on the Oprah TV show? Q209b		
		Nat CS 20–25 Sep		
		1 Yes		
		2 No		
		998 Don't know		
		999 No answer		
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		Speeches		
		cH17		
		Watched 2000 State of the Union		
		Did you watch President Clinton's State of the Union address Thursday night (27 Jan 00)? (If yes) Did you watch all, most or just some of it? Q196		
		Nat CS 28 Jan–2 Feb 00; NH CS 28–31 Jan 00; Super CS 28 Jan–2 Feb 00		
		1 All		
		2 Most		
		3 Some		
		4 Did not watch		
		998 Don't know		
		999 No answer		
	+		+	+
		cH18		
		Intend to watch Bush inaugural speech		
		Do you plan to watch President-elect George W. Bush's inauguration speech later this month? Q230		
		Nat CS 4–19 Jan 01		
		1 Yes		
		2 No		
		998 Don't know		
		999 No answer		
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cH19

Watched past inaugural speeches

Did you happen to watch either of President Clinton's inauguration speeches, in 1992 or 1996? (If no) Have you ever watched a president's inauguration speech? Q231

Nat CS 4-19 Jan 01

- 1 Watched Clinton inaugural speech
- 2 Watched other inaugural speech
- 3 Never watched inaugural speech
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rH20

Aware of ad about opposing breast cancer research

There is an ad that says one of the presidential candidates opposed funding for breast cancer research. Have you seen or heard this ad or heard or read about it? Q251

Super Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rH21

Subject of ad about opposing breast cancer research

Do you know which candidate this ad [saying one of the presidential candidates opposed funding for breast cancer research] was about? Q252

Super Reint

Asked if aware of ad

rH20[1]

- 1 McCain
- 2 Verbatim (rH21\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Advertising, TV appearances and speeches : variable detail

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rH22

Sponsor of ad about opposing breast cancer research

Do you know which candidate or group sponsored the ad [saying one of the presidential candidates opposed funding for breast cancer research]? Q253

Super Reint

Asked if aware of ad

rH20[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Verbatim (rH22\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rH23

McCain favorability hurt by ad about opposing breast cancer research

Did the ad [saying one of the presidential candidates opposed funding for breast cancer research] make you feel more favorable or less favorable toward John McCain? Q254

Super Reint

Asked if know McCain subject of ad about opposing breast cancer research

rH21[1]

- 1 More favorable
- 2 Less favorable
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

In this section are questions measuring direct contact with presidential candidates' campaigns.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-20:

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Notes on variables in this section

Respondents were asked about five main types of contact with presidential candidates:

- being contacted by a campaign;
- being contacted on behalf of a campaign by another group;
- receiving brochures about the campaign;
- attending meetings with a candidate;
- personally meeting a candidate.

The reference point for questions about contact differed by interview point:

- For **cross-section interviews before the general election (through 6 Nov 00), with the exception of the SC and MI cross-section studies**, respondents were asked about contact at any point thus far in the campaign (J01, J05, J09, J13, J15). For the **SC and MI cross-section studies**, respondents were asked about contact in the past week (J02, J06, J10, J14, J16).
- For **cross-section interviews after the general election** (starting 8 Nov 00), respondents were asked about contact in the fall campaign (J03–J04, J07–J08, J11–J12).
- For **IA, NH and Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked about contact in the presidential primary campaign (J01a, J05a, J09a, J13a, J15a). For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, the reference point was contact in the Republican presidential primary campaign (J02a, J06a, J10a, J14a, J16a).
- For **post-convention reinterviews**, respondents were asked about contact at any point thus far in the campaign.

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- For **post-general election reinterviews**, the reference point was contact in the fall campaign.

Contacted by campaign**cJ01****Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign**

During the campaign, has anyone from one of the campaigns talked to you in person or on the phone about the presidential election? Q282a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rJ01**Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign**

During the campaign, has anyone from one of the campaigns talked to you in person or on the phone about the presidential election? Q282a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rJ01a**Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in primary campaign**

During the time before your state's presidential primary election did anyone from one of the campaigns talk to you in person or on the phone about the presidential election? Q280a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cJ02**Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in past week**

During the past week, has anyone from one of the campaigns talked to you in person or on the phone about the presidential election? Q283a

SC CS; MI CS

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rJ02a**Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

During the time before your state's Republican presidential primary election did anyone from one of the campaigns talk to you in person or on the phone about the presidential election?

Q281a

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cJ03**Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the campaign this fall, did any of the campaigns contact you about the presidential election? Q284a

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rJ03**Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the campaign this fall, did any of the campaigns contact you about the presidential election? Q284a

Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cJ04**Contacted by GOP or Democratic campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

Was this [any of the campaigns contacting you about the presidential election during the campaign this fall] on behalf of the Republicans or the Democrats? Q285a

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

Asked if contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign

cJ03[1]

- 1 Republicans
- 2 Democrats
- 3 Both
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rJ04**Contacted by GOP or Democratic campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

Was this [any of the campaigns contacting you about the presidential election during the campaign this fall] on behalf of the Republicans or the Democrats? Q285a

Elect Reint

Asked if contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign

rJ03[1]

- 1 Republicans
- 2 Democrats
- 3 Both
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Contacted by group other than campaign**cJ05****Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign**

During the campaign, has anyone from any other group talked to you about the presidential election? Q282b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rJ05**Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign**

During the campaign, has anyone from any other group talked to you about the presidential election? Q282b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rJ05a**Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in primary campaign**

During the time before your state's presidential primary election did anyone from any other group talk to you about the presidential election? Q280b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cJ06**Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in past week**

During the past week, has anyone from any other group talked to you about the presidential election? Q283b

SC CS; MI CS

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rJ06a**Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

During the time before your state's Republican presidential primary election did anyone from any other group talk to you about the presidential election? Q281b

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cJ07**Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the campaign this fall, did any other group contact you about the presidential election? Q284b

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ07**Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the campaign this fall, did any other group contact you about the presidential election? Q284b

Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cJ08**Contacted by GOP or Democratic group other than campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

Was this [any other group contacting you about the presidential election during the campaign this fall] on behalf of the Republicans or the Democrats? Q285b

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

Asked if contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign

cJ07[1]

- 1 Republicans
- 2 Democrats
- 3 Both
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ08**Contacted by GOP or Democratic group other than campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

Was this [any other group contacting you about the presidential election during the campaign this fall] on behalf of the Republicans or the Democrats? Q285b

Elect Reint

Asked if contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in fall campaign

rJ07[1]

- 1 Republicans
- 2 Democrats
- 3 Both
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Received brochures**cJ09****Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign**

During the campaign, have you received any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q282c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rJ09**Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign**

During the campaign, have you received any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q282c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rJ09a**Received brochures about presidential campaign in primary campaign**

During the time before your state's presidential primary election did you receive any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q280c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cJ10**Received brochures about presidential campaign in past week**

During the past week, have you received any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q283c

SC CS; MI CS

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rJ10a**Received brochures about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign**

During the time before your state's Republican presidential primary election did you receive any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q281c

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cJ11**Received brochures about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the campaign this fall, did you receive any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q284c

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ11**Received brochures about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

During the campaign this fall, did you receive any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president? Q284c

Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cJ12**Received GOP or Democratic brochures about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

Was this [receiving any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president during the campaign this fall] on behalf of the Republicans or the Democrats? Q285c

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

Asked if received brochures about presidential campaign in fall campaign

cJ11[1]

- 1 Republicans
- 2 Democrats
- 3 Both
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ12**Received GOP or Democratic brochures about presidential campaign in fall campaign**

Was this [receiving any brochures or flyers about the campaign for president during the campaign this fall] on behalf of the Republicans or the Democrats? Q285c

Elect Reint

Asked if received brochures about presidential campaign in fall campaign

rJ11[1]

- 1 Republicans
- 2 Democrats
- 3 Both
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Attended meeting with presidential candidate

cJ13 (cJ13.1 ... cJ13.5)

Attended meeting with presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign, have you gone to a meeting or rally or other event at which a presidential candidate was present? (If yes) Which ones? Q288a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Have not done this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ13a (rJ13a1 ... rJ13a5)

Attended meeting with presidential candidate in primary campaign

During the time before your state's [presidential] primary [election] did you go to a meeting or rally or other event at which a presidential candidate was present? Q286a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Did not do this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cJ14 (cJ14.1 ... cJ14.5)
Attended meeting with presidential candidate in past week

During this past week, have you gone to a meeting or rally or other event at which a presidential candidate was present? (If yes) Which ones? Q289a

SC CS; MI CS

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Have not done this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ14a (rJ14a1 ... rJ14a5)
Attended meeting with presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign

During the time before your state's [Republican presidential] primary [election] did you go to a meeting or rally or other event at which a presidential candidate was present? Q287a

SC Reint; MI Reint

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Did not do this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Personally met presidential candidate

cJ15 (cJ15.1 ... cJ15.5)

Personally met presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign, have you personally met any of the presidential candidates? (If yes) Which ones? Q288b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2]

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Have not done this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ15a (rJ15a1 ... rJ15a5)

Personally met presidential candidate in primary campaign

During the time before your state's [presidential] primary [election] did you personally meet any of the presidential candidates? Q286b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Did not do this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cJ16 (cJ16.1 ... cJ16.5)

Personally met presidential candidate in past week

During this past week, have you personally met any of the presidential candidates? (If yes) Which ones? Q289b

SC CS; MI CS

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Have not done this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ16a (rJ16a1 ... rJ16a5)

Personally met presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign

During the time before your state's [Republican presidential] primary [election] did you personally meet any of the presidential candidates? Q287b

SC Reint; MI Reint

Up to 5 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Did not do this
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Questioning unique to reinterviews

J-13

rJ17

Received negative phone calls about Bush in GOP primary campaign

During the Republican [presidential] primary campaign, did anyone phone you to make negative statements about George W. Bush?
Q295a

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ18

Received negative phone calls about McCain in GOP primary campaign

During the Republican [presidential] primary campaign, did anyone phone you to make negative statements about John McCain? Q295b

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rJ19

Received negative email about Bush in GOP primary campaign

During the Republican [presidential] primary campaign, did you receive any email messages making negative statements about George W. Bush? Q296a

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if have online access

rE20[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Contact with presidential campaigns : variable detail

J-14

rJ20
Received negative email about McCain in GOP primary campaign

During the Republican [presidential] primary campaign, did you receive any email messages making negative statements about John McCain?
Q296b

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if have online access

rE20[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

In this section are questions measuring political participation, including interest in politics, political discussion and advocacy on behalf of presidential candidates.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-22:

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Notes on variables in this section: interest in politics

Random question assignment

- **Through 10 Apr**, all respondents were asked about interest in the 2000 political campaigns (K02).
- **Starting 11 Apr**, respondents were randomly assigned (KZ01) to be asked about interest in either the 2000 political campaigns (KZ01[1]) or the presidential campaign (K03, KZ01[2]).

Political discussion

Respondents were asked if they discussed politics with their family or friends and if yes, if there was disagreement in the discussion. In addition, respondents were asked if they discussed politics at work or online and if yes, if there was disagreement.

The reference point for questions about discussion differed by interview point:

- For **cross-section interviews before the general election** (through 6 Nov 00), respondents were asked about discussion in the past week (K05, K07, K09, K11).
- For **cross-section interviews after the general election (starting 8 Nov 00) and through 19 Dec 00**, respondents were randomly assigned (KZ02) to be asked about discussion in either the past week (KZ02[1]) or in the fall campaign (K06, K08, K10, K12; KZ02[2]). **Starting 20 Dec 00**, all respondents were asked about discussion in the past week.

- For **IA, NH and Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked about discussion in the presidential primary campaign (K05a, K07a, K09a, K11a). For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, the reference point was discussion in the Republican presidential primary campaign (K05b, K07b, K09b, K11b).
- For **post-convention and post-debate reinterviews**, the reference point was discussion in the past week.
- For **post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked about discussion in the fall campaign.
- For **post-convention reinterviews**, the reference point was advocacy at any point thus far in the campaign.
- For **post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked about advocacy in the fall campaign.

Random assignment to line of questioning

See cross-section interviews after the general election above.

Advocacy for candidates

Respondents were asked about five types of advocacy for presidential candidates:

- advocating voting;
- attending a meeting with a candidate;
- doing other work for a candidate;
- giving money;
- displaying a sign.

The reference point for questions about advocacy differed by interview point:

- For **cross-section interviews before the general election (through 6 Nov 00), with the exception of the SC and MI cross-section studies**, respondents were asked about advocacy at any point thus far in the campaign (K13, K16, K19, K22, K25). For the **SC and MI cross-section studies**, respondents were asked about advocacy in the past week (K14, K17, K20, K23, K26).
- For **cross-section interviews after the general election** (starting 8 Nov 00), respondents were asked about advocacy in the fall campaign (K15, K18, K21, K24, K27).
- For **IA, NH and Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked about advocacy in the presidential primary campaign (K13a, K16a, K19a, K22a, K25a). For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, the reference point was advocacy in the Republican presidential primary campaign (K14a, K17a, K20a, K23a, K26a).

Interest in politics

cK01

Interested in government

Some people seem to follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there is an election or not. Others are not that interested. Would you say you follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, some of the time, only now and then or hardly at all? Q369

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Most of the time
- 2 Some of the time
- 3 Now and then
- 4 Hardly
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK01

Interested in government

Some people seem to follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there is an election or not. Others are not that interested. Would you say you follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, some of the time, only now and then or hardly at all? Q369

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Most of the time
- 2 Some of the time
- 3 Now and then
- 4 Hardly
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cK02

Interested in 2000 political campaigns

Would you say you {through 6 Nov 00: have been | starting 8 Nov 00: were} very much interested, somewhat interested or not much interested in the political campaigns {through 6 Nov 00: so far this | 8 Nov 00-30 Dec 00: this | starting 2 Jan 01: this past} year? Q371a

Nat CS 18 Jan 00-19 Jan 01; IA CS 18-23 Jan 00; NH CS 18-31 Jan 00; Super CS 18 Jan-6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {starting 11 Apr: random 1/2 of sample, cKZ01[1]}

- 1 Very interested
- 2 Somewhat interested
- 3 Not much interested
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK02

Interested in 2000 political campaigns

Would you say you {through 6 Nov 00: have been | starting 8 Nov 00: were} very much interested, somewhat interested or not much interested in the political campaigns {through 6 Nov 00: so far} this year? Q371a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rKZ01[1]}

- 1 Very interested
- 2 Somewhat interested
- 3 Not much interested
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK03**Interested in presidential campaign**

Would you say you {through 6 Nov 00: have been | starting 8 Nov 00: were} very much interested, somewhat interested or not much interested in the presidential campaign {through 6 Nov 00: so far this | 8 Nov 00-30 Dec 00: this | starting 2 Jan 01: this past} year? Q371b

Nat CS 11 Apr 00–19 Jan 01

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cKZ01[2]

- 1 Very interested
- 2 Somewhat interested
- 3 Not much interested
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK04**Care which party wins presidential election**

Generally speaking, {through 6 Nov 00: do | starting 8 Nov 00: did} you care a good deal which party wins the 2000 presidential election, or {don't | didn't} you care very much? Q372

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Good deal
- 2 Not very much
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Discussed politics with family or friends**cK05****Discussed politics with family or friends in past week**

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with your family or friends? Q187a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {2 Oct–6 Nov 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2] | 8 Nov–19 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[1]}

- Range 0-7
- 998 Don't know
 - 999 No answer

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rK03**Interested in presidential campaign**

Would you say you {through 6 Nov 00: have been | starting 8 Nov 00: were} very much interested, somewhat interested or not much interested in the presidential campaign {through 6 Nov 00: so far} this year? Q371b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rKZ01[2]

- 1 Very interested
- 2 Somewhat interested
- 3 Not much interested
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK04**Care which party wins presidential election**

Generally speaking, {through 6 Nov 00: do | starting 8 Nov 00: did} you care a good deal which party wins the 2000 presidential election, or {don't | didn't} you care very much? Q372

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Good deal
- 2 Not very much
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK05**Discussed politics with family or friends in past week**

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with your family or friends? Q187a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

- Range 0-7
- 998 Don't know
 - 999 No answer

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rK05a**Discussed politics with family or friends in presidential primary campaign**

In the time before your state's presidential primary election, how often did you discuss politics with your family or friends? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q182a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK05b**Discussed politics with family or friends in GOP presidential primary campaign**

In the time before your state's Republican presidential primary election, how often did you discuss politics with your family or friends? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q184a

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cK06**Discussed politics with family or friends in fall campaign**

During the fall campaign, how often did you discuss politics with your family or friends? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q189a

Nat CS 8 Nov-19 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[2]

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK06**Discussed politics with family or friends in fall campaign**

During the fall campaign, how often did you discuss politics with your family or friends? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q189a

Elect Reint

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

K-6

<p>+</p> <p>cK07</p> <p>Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week</p> <p>When you talked with family or friends [in the past week], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q188a</p> <p>Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</p> <p>Limited to {2 Oct–6 Nov 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2] 8 Nov–19 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[1]}</p> <p>Asked if discussed politics with family or friends in past week <i>cK05[1-7]</i></p> <table> <tr><td>1</td><td>Great deal</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>Quite a bit</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>Some</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>Very little</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>None</td></tr> <tr><td>998</td><td>Don't know</td></tr> <tr><td>999</td><td>No answer</td></tr> </table> <p>—</p>	1	Great deal	2	Quite a bit	3	Some	4	Very little	5	None	998	Don't know	999	No answer	<p>+</p> <p>rK07</p> <p>Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week</p> <p>When you talked with family or friends [in the past week], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q188a</p> <p>GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint</p> <p>Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}</p> <p>Asked if discussed politics with family or friends in past week <i>rK05[1-7]</i></p> <table> <tr><td>1</td><td>Great deal</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>Quite a bit</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>Some</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>Very little</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>None</td></tr> <tr><td>998</td><td>Don't know</td></tr> <tr><td>999</td><td>No answer</td></tr> </table> <p>—</p>	1	Great deal	2	Quite a bit	3	Some	4	Very little	5	None	998	Don't know	999	No answer
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rK07b

Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in GOP presidential primary campaign

When you talked with family or friends [in the Republican presidential primary campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q185a

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if discussed politics with family or friends in GOP presidential primary campaign

rK05b[1-4]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cK08

Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in fall campaign

When you talked with family or friends [in the fall campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q190a

Nat CS 8 Nov-19 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[2]

Asked if discussed politics with family or friends in fall campaign

cK06[1-4]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK08

Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in fall campaign

When you talked with family or friends [in the fall campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q190a

Elect Reint

Asked if discussed politics with family or friends in fall campaign

rK06[1-4]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Discussed politics at work or online

cK09

Discussed politics at work or online in past week

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with people at work or on the Internet?
Q187b

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {2 Oct–6 Nov 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2] | 8 Nov–19 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[1]}

Range 0-7

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rK09

Discussed politics at work or online in past week

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with people at work or on the Internet?
Q187b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

Range 0-7

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rK09a

Discussed politics at work or online in presidential primary campaign

In the time before your state's presidential primary election, how often did you discuss politics with people at work or on the Internet? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q182b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1 Every day

2 Few times a week

3 Few times a month

4 Less often

5 Never

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rK09b

Discussed politics at work or online in GOP presidential primary campaign

In the time before your state's Republican presidential primary election, how often did you discuss politics with people at work or on the Internet? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q184b

SC Reint; MI Reint

1 Every day

2 Few times a week

3 Few times a month

4 Less often

5 Never

998 Don't know

999 No answer

+

cK10**Discussed politics at work or online in fall campaign**

During the fall campaign, how often did you discuss politics with people at work or on the Internet? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q189b

Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[2]

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK11**Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week**

When you talked at work or on the Internet [in the past week], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q188b

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {2 Oct–6 Nov 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2] | 8 Nov–19 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[1]}

Asked if discussed politics at work or online in past week

cK09[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK10**Discussed politics at work or online in fall campaign**

During the fall campaign, how often did you discuss politics with people at work or on the Internet? Almost every day, a few times a week, a few times a month, less often or never? Q189b

Elect Reint

- 1 Every day
- 2 Few times a week
- 3 Few times a month
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK11**Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week**

When you talked at work or on the Internet [in the past week], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q188b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

Asked if discussed politics at work or online in past week

rK09[1-7]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK11a

Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in presidential primary campaign

When you talked at work or on the Internet [in the presidential primary campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q183b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

Asked if discussed politics at work or online in presidential primary campaign

rK09a[1-4]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK11b

Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in GOP presidential primary campaign

When you talked at work or on the Internet [in the Republican presidential primary campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q185b

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if discussed politics at work or online in GOP presidential primary campaign

rK09b[1-4]

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Quite a bit
- 3 Some
- 4 Very little
- 5 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK12

Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in fall campaign

When you talked at work or on the Internet [in the fall campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q190b

Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cKZ02[2]

Asked if discussed politics at work or online in fall campaign

cK10[1-4]

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| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Quite a bit |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Very little |
| 5 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Advocated voting

cK13

Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q292a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

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| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rK12

Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in fall campaign

When you talked at work or on the Internet [in the fall campaign], how much disagreement was there? A great deal, quite a bit, some, very little or none? Q190b

Elect Reint

Asked if discussed politics at work or online in fall campaign

rK10[1-4]

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| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Quite a bit |
| 3 | Some |
| 4 | Very little |
| 5 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rK13

Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q292a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

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| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Political participation : variable detail

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			rK13a	
			Advocated voting for presidential candidate in primary campaign	
			[In the presidential primary campaign] did you talk to any people and try to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q290a	
			IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint	
			1 Yes	
			2 No	
			998 Don't know	
			999 No answer	
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	cK14			
	Advocated voting for presidential candidate in past week			
	During this past week, have you talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q293a			
	SC CS; MI CS			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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			rK14a	
			Advocated voting for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign	
			[In the Republican presidential primary campaign] did you talk to any people and try to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q291a	
			SC Reint; MI Reint	
			1 Yes	
			2 No	
			998 Don't know	
			999 No answer	
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cK15

Advocated voting for presidential candidate in fall campaign

During the campaign this fall, did you talk to any people and try to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q294a

Nat CS 8 Nov–7 Dec 00

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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Attending meeting for presidential candidate

cK16

Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you gone to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate? Q292b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rK15

Advocated voting for presidential candidate in fall campaign

During the campaign this fall, did you talk to any people and try to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates? Q294a

Elect Reint

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rK16

Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you gone to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate? Q292b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rK16a

Attended meeting for presidential candidate in primary campaign

[In the presidential primary campaign] did you go to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate? Q290b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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Political participation : variable detail

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1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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Did other work

cK19

Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you done any other work for one of the presidential candidates?
Q292c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rK19

Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you done any other work for one of the presidential candidates?
Q292c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rK19a

Did other work for presidential candidate in primary campaign

[In the presidential primary campaign] did you do any other work for one of the presidential candidates? Q290c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cK20

Did other work for presidential candidate in past week

During this past week, have you done any other work for one of the presidential candidates?
Q293c

SC CS; MI CS

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

		rK20a	
		Did other work for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign	
		[In the Republican presidential primary campaign] did you do any other work for one of the presidential candidates? Q291c	
		SC Reint; MI Reint	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		998	Don't know
		999	No answer
		cK21	
		Did other work for presidential candidate in fall campaign	
		During the campaign this fall, did you do any other work for one of the presidential candidates? Q294c	
		Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		998	Don't know
		999	No answer
		rK21	
		Did other work for presidential candidate in fall campaign	
		During the campaign this fall, did you do any other work for one of the presidential candidates? Q294c	
		Elect Reint	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		998	Don't know
		999	No answer
		Gave money	
		cK22	
		Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	
		During the campaign have you given money to a candidate for president? Q292d	
		Nat CS 14 Dec 99-6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS	
		Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		998	Don't know
		999	No answer
		rK22	
		Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	
		During the campaign have you given money to a candidate for president? Q292d	
		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint	
		Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		998	Don't know
		999	No answer

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rK22a

Gave money to presidential candidate in primary campaign

[In the presidential primary campaign] did you give money to a candidate for president? Q290d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK23

Gave money to presidential candidate in past week

During this past week, have you given money to a candidate for president? Q293d

SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK23a

Gave money to presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign

[In the Republican presidential primary campaign] did you give money to a candidate for president? Q291d

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK24

Gave money to presidential candidate in fall campaign

During the campaign this fall, did you give money to a candidate for president? Q294d

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK24

Gave money to presidential candidate in fall campaign

During the campaign this fall, did you give money to a candidate for president? Q294d

Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Displayed sign

cK25

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q292e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/3 of sample, cX02[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX04[2]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK25

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign

During the campaign have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q292e

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rX04[2]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK25a

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in primary campaign

[In the presidential primary campaign] did you wear a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or place a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q290e

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cK26

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in past week

During this past week, have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q293e

SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rK26a

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in GOP primary campaign

[In the Republican presidential primary campaign] did you wear a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or place a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q291e

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cK27

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in fall campaign

During the campaign this fall, did you wear a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or place a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q294e

Nat CS 8 Nov-7 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rK27

Displayed sign for presidential candidate in fall campaign

During the campaign this fall, did you wear a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car or place a sign in your window or in front of your house? Q294e

Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Random assignment

cKZ01

Random assignment to K02 or K03

Q370

Nat CS 11 Apr 00-19 Jan 01

- 1 Assigned to cK02
- 2 Assigned to cK03

rKZ01

Random assignment to K02 or K03

Q370

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Assigned to rK02
- 2 Assigned to rK03

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cKZ02

Random assignment to K05, K07, K09, K11 or K06,K08, K10, K12

Q186

Nat CS 8 Nov-19 Dec 00

- 1 K05, K07, K09, K11
- 2 K06,K08, K10, K12

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In this section are questions measuring evaluations of the quality of campaign discourse, including communication from the candidates and news coverage of the campaign.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-23:

Cross-section studies	page ii-23
IA, NH, Super Tuesday primary panels	60
SC, MI primary panels	78
Convention panels	92
Debate panels	114
General election panel	141

Notes on variables in this section

- For **cross-section interviews and post-convention, post-debate and post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked about the quality of campaign discourse up to the point of the interview (L01, L03, L04, L05, L09, L10).
- For **post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked about the quality of discourse in the presidential primary campaign (L01a, L03a, L04a, L05a, L09a, L10a).
- L02, L06–L08 were asked about candidates in general.

cL01

Presidential candidates talking about policy

Thinking about what the candidates for president {through 6 Nov 00: are saying | starting 8 Nov 00: were saying during the presidential campaign}, how much time would you say they {are spending | spent} talking about policy issues? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or {aren't they doing | didn't they do} this at all? Q163c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–7 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rL01

Presidential candidates talking about policy

Thinking about what the candidates for president {through 6 Nov 00: are saying | starting 8 Nov 00: were saying during the presidential campaign}, how much time would you say they {are spending | spent} talking about policy issues? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or {aren't they doing | didn't they do} this at all? Q163c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rL01a

Presidential candidates talked about policy in primary campaign

Thinking about the what the candidates for president were saying before your state's presidential primary election, how much time would you say they spent talking about policy issues? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or didn't they do this at all? Q162c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Evaluations of campaign discourse : variable detail

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cL02**Candidates talking about issues**

The first statement is, the candidates are talking about issues I care about. The second statement is, the candidates are ducking the important issues facing the country. Which comes closer to your views? Q175

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4]

- 1 Talking about issues
- 2 Ducking issues
- 3 Depends
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cL03**Presidential candidates criticizing opponents**

Thinking about what the candidates for president {through 6 Nov 00: are saying | starting 8 Nov 00: were saying during the presidential campaign}, how much time would you say they {are spending | spent} criticizing their opponents? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or {aren't they doing | didn't they do} this at all? Q163a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–7 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rL02**Candidates talking about issues**

The first statement is, the candidates are talking about issues I care about. The second statement is, the candidates are ducking the important issues facing the country. Which comes closer to your views? Q175

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Talking about issues
- 2 Ducking issues
- 3 Depends
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rL03**Presidential candidates criticizing opponents**

Thinking about what the candidates for president {through 6 Nov 00: are saying | starting 8 Nov 00: were saying during the presidential campaign}, how much time would you say they {are spending | spent} criticizing their opponents? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or {aren't they doing | didn't they do} this at all? Q163a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rL03a
Presidential candidates criticized opponents in primary campaign

Thinking about the what the candidates for president were saying before your state’s presidential primary election, how much time would you say they spent criticizing their opponents? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or didn’t they do this at all? Q162a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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cL04
Presidential candidates self-promoting

Thinking about what the candidates for president {through 6 Nov 00: are saying | starting 8 Nov 00: were saying during the presidential campaign}, how much time would you say they {are spending | spent} talking about what they themselves would do if elected? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or {aren’t they doing | didn’t they do} this at all? Q163b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–7 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

rL04
Presidential candidates self-promoting

Thinking about what the candidates for president {through 6 Nov 00: are saying | starting 8 Nov 00: were saying during the presidential campaign}, how much time would you say they {are spending | spent} talking about what they themselves would do if elected? A great deal of time, some, not too much, or {aren’t they doing | didn’t they do} this at all? Q163b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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Presidential candidates self-promoted in primary campaign

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

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| 1 | Great deal |
| 2 | Some |
| 3 | Not too much |
| 4 | None |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Grade for presidential candidates campaigning responsibly

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS

Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[2]

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| 1 | A |
| 2 | B |
| 3 | C |
| 4 | D |
| 5 | F |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rL05a**Grade for presidential candidates campaigning responsibly in primary campaign**

What grade would you give the [presidential] candidates for how responsibly they campaigned [in the primary campaign]? A means excellent, B very good, C average, D poor and F very poor.
Q164a

IA Reint; NH Reint

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| 1 | A |
| 2 | B |
| 3 | C |
| 4 | D |
| 5 | F |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

cL06**Presidential campaign more negative than past**

Do you think this year's presidential campaign is more negative or less negative than presidential campaigns of the past—just your own impression? Q168

Nat CS 5 Sep–1 Oct

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]

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| 1 | More negative |
| 2 | Less negative |
| 3 | No difference |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

cL07**Bush or Gore campaign more negative**

Which of the major presidential candidates' campaigns, if any, do you think {through 6 Nov 00: has been | starting 8 Nov 00: was} too negative or nasty this year? George W. Bush's, Al Gore's, both or neither? Q170

Nat CS 5 Sep–7 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]

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| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

rL07**Bush or Gore campaign more negative**

Which of the major presidential candidates' campaigns, if any, do you think {through 6 Nov 00: has been | starting 8 Nov 00: was} too negative or nasty this year? George W. Bush's, Al Gore's, both or neither? Q170

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

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| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Both |
| 4 | Neither |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cL08

Would not vote for candidate who campaigned negatively

If you decided that a presidential candidate's campaign was a lot more negative or nasty than his opponent's campaign, would that mean you would never vote for that candidate; would this be one of several important reasons that would decide your vote; or would this not have much effect on your vote? Q171

Nat CS 5 Sep-1 Oct

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]

- 1 Would never vote for candidate
- 2 One of several important reasons deciding vote
- 3 No effect
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cL09

Grade for news media reporting on presidential campaign

What grade would you give the news media for how they are reporting on the presidential campaign? A means excellent, B very good, C average, D poor and F very poor. Q165b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99-3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[2]

- 1 A
- 2 B
- 3 C
- 4 D
- 5 F
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rL09a
Grade for news media reporting on presidential campaign in primary campaign

What grade would you give the news media for how they reported on the presidential campaign [in the primary campaign]? A means excellent, B very good, C average, D poor and F very poor.
Q164b

IA Reint; NH Reint

- 1 A
- 2 B
- 3 C
- 4 D
- 5 F
- 998 Don't know
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cL10
Learned enough about presidential candidates

{through 6 Nov 00: So far have | starting 8 Nov 00: By the time of the November election had} you learned enough about the [presidential] candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or {have you found | did you find} it difficult to choose because you {feel you have | felt you had} not learned enough? Q167

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–7 Dec 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[2] | starting 18 Jul: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Learned enough
- 2 Not learned enough
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rL10
Learned enough about presidential candidates

{through 6 Nov 00: So far have | starting 8 Nov 00: By the time of the November election had} you learned enough about the [presidential] candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or {have you found | did you find} it difficult to choose because you {feel you have | felt you had} not learned enough? Q167

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Learned enough
- 2 Not learned enough
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rL10a
Learned enough about presidential candidates by primary election

By the time of your state’s presidential primary election had you learned enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or did you find it difficult to choose because you felt you had not learned enough? Q166

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Learned enough
- 2 Not learned enough
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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Questioning unique to reinterviews

rL11
Bush ads against McCain fair

Thinking about the ads run by the Bush and McCain campaigns in the recent presidential primary, would you say the ads George W. Bush ran against John McCain were unfair, or don’t you feel this way? Q169a

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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rL12
McCain ads against Bush fair

Thinking about the ads run by the Bush and McCain campaigns in the recent presidential primary, would you say the ads John McCain ran against George W. Bush were unfair, or don’t you feel this way? Q169b

SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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In this section are questions measuring orientation to government, including evaluations of political institutions and political efficacy.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-24:

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cM01

Trust federal government

Thinking about the federal government in Washington, how much of the time do you think you can trust the federal government to do what is right? Just about always, most of the time or only some of the time? Q174

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4] | 18 Jul–12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Always
- 2 Most of the time
- 3 Some of the time
- 4 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM02

Confident in federal Executive Branch

Please tell me how much confidence you have in the Executive Branch of the federal government—this includes the office of the president. Do you have a great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q124a

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM03

Confident in federal Legislative Branch

Please tell me how much confidence you have in the Legislative Branch of the federal government—this includes the US Congress. Do you have a great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q124b

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rM01

Trust federal government

Thinking about the federal government in Washington, how much of the time do you think you can trust the federal government to do what is right? Just about always, most of the time or only some of the time? Q174

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Always
- 2 Most of the time
- 3 Some of the time
- 4 Never
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Orientation to government : variable detail

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	cM04			
	Confident in federal Judicial Branch			
	Please tell me how much confidence you have in the Judicial Branch of the federal government—this includes the US Supreme Court. Do you have a great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q124c			
	Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Great deal			
	2 Fair amount			
	3 Not too much			
	4 None			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cM05			
	Confident in state court system			
	Please tell me how much confidence you have in your state's court system. Do you have a great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q124d			
	Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Great deal			
	2 Fair amount			
	3 Not too much			
	4 None			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cM06			
	Confident in state elected officials			
	Please tell me how much confidence you have in elected officials in your state. Do you have a great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q124e			
	Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Great deal			
	2 Fair amount			
	3 Not too much			
	4 None			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cM07**Confident in local government**

Please tell me how much confidence you have in the government of the city or town where you live. Do you have a great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q124f

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cM08**Candidates say what public wants to hear or what is best for country**

The first statement is, candidates usually tell the public what it wants to hear. The second statement is, candidates usually tell the public what they actually believe is best for the country. Which comes closer to your views? Q176

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4]

- 1 What public wants to hear
- 2 What is best for country
- 3 Depends
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cM09**Candidates say what they will do if elected**

The first statement is, candidates tell voters what they will really try to do if they are elected. The second statement is, candidates cannot be trusted to keep promises they make while campaigning. Which comes closer to your views? Q177

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4]

- 1 Tell voters what they will do if elected
- 2 Cannot be trusted to keep promises
- 3 Depends
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rM08**Candidates say what public wants to hear or what is best for country**

The first statement is, candidates usually tell the public what it wants to hear. The second statement is, candidates usually tell the public what they actually believe is best for the country. Which comes closer to your views? Q176

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 What public wants to hear
- 2 What is best for country
- 3 Depends
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rM09**Candidates say what they will do if elected**

The first statement is, candidates tell voters what they will really try to do if they are elected. The second statement is, candidates cannot be trusted to keep promises they make while campaigning. Which comes closer to your views? Q177

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Tell voters what they will do if elected
- 2 Cannot be trusted to keep promises
- 3 Depends
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cM10		rM10		
	Presidents keep campaign promises		Presidents keep campaign promises		
	Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: Most of the time, presidents do keep their campaign promises. Q179c		Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: Most of the time, presidents do keep their campaign promises. Q179c		
	Nat CS 11 Apr 00–19 Jan 01		GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint		
	Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4] 18 Jul–12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}		Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}		
	1 Strongly agree		1 Strongly agree		
	2 Somewhat agree		2 Somewhat agree		
	3 Somewhat disagree		3 Somewhat disagree		
	4 Strongly disagree		4 Strongly disagree		
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		999 No answer		
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	cM11		rM11		
	Candidates vote way contributors want or to best serve country		Candidates vote way contributors want or to best serve country		
	The first statement is, candidates usually vote the way their big financial contributors want them to. The second statement is, candidates usually vote the way they think best serves the country. Which comes closer to your views? Q178		The first statement is, candidates usually vote the way their big financial contributors want them to. The second statement is, candidates usually vote the way they think best serves the country. Which comes closer to your views? Q178		
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–10 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint		
	Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4]				
	1 Way contributors want		1 Way contributors want		
	2 Way best serves country		2 Way best serves country		
	3 Depends		3 Depends		
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		999 No answer		
	+		+		+
	cM12				
	Presidents make decisions for nation's best interest				
	Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: Presidents usually make decisions with the best interests of the nation in mind. Q179h				
	Nat CS 4–19 Jan 01				
	1 Strongly agree				
	2 Somewhat agree				
	3 Somewhat disagree				
	4 Strongly disagree				
	998 Don't know				
	999 No answer				
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cM13

Government run for few interests or benefit of all

Would you say the government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all the people? Q181

Nat CS 8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

Limited to {through 12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Few big interests
- 2 Benefit of all
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM14

Elected federal officials care what people think

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: Elected officials in Washington care about what people like me think. Q179e

Nat CS 4–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM15

People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: People like me have no say over who the political parties choose as their presidential candidates. Q179a

Nat CS 11 Apr 00–3 Jan 01

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4] | 18 Jul–12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rM13

Government run for few interests or benefit of all

Would you say the government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all the people? Q181

Elect Reint

- 1 Few big interests
- 2 Benefit of all
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rM15

People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: People like me have no say over who the political parties choose as their presidential candidates. Q179a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM16

People like me have no say over who is president

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: People like me have no say over who gets to be president. Q179d

Nat CS 11 Apr 00–3 Jan 01

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4] | 18 Jul–12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM17

Presidential elections too complicated to understand

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: Sometimes presidential elections seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on. Q179b

Nat CS 11 Apr 00–3 Jan 01

Limited to {through 17 Jul: random 1/4 of sample, cX01[4] | 18 Jul–12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rM16

People like me have no say over who is president

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: People like me have no say over who gets to be president. Q179d

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rM17

Presidential elections too complicated to understand

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: Sometimes presidential elections seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on. Q179b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX03[2]}

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM18**Politics too complicated to understand**

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree:
Sometimes politics seems so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on. Q179f

Nat CS 4–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cM19**Office of president not powerful**

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree:
When all is said and done, the office of the president today really isn't that powerful. Q179g

Nat CS 4–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cM20**Most presidents do good job in complex word**

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree:
In today's complex world, most presidents do a good job. Q179i

Nat CS 4–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cM21

Differences between GOP and Democrats

Do you think there are any important differences in what the Republicans and Democrats stand for? Q180

Nat CS 8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

Limited to {through 12 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cX03[2]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rM21

Differences between GOP and Democrats

Do you think there are any important differences in what the Republicans and Democrats stand for? Q180

Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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In this section are questions measuring perceptions of presidential candidates' chances of winning the primary election and of winning the general election.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-25:

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SC, MI primary panels	78
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Notes on variables in this section

Candidate name recognition screen

- **Through early April**, questions about candidate chances were limited to respondents who recognized at least one of the candidates in the question. For cross-section interviews, this name recognition screen was in effect through 3 Apr; for reinterviews, the screen was in effect for post-primary reinterviews. Recognition was derived from favorability ratings. See section A.

Random question assignment For pairs of questions asking about one candidate's chances of winning against another (N04–N05, N06–N07, N08–N09, N10–N11, N12–N13), respondents were randomly assigned (NZ01–NZ05) to be asked one question in the pair. For example, NZ02 records if respondents were randomly assigned to be asked about Bush's chances of beating Gore (N06, NZ02[1]) or Gore's chances of beating Bush (N07, NZ02[2]).

Likely winners of presidential primaries

cN01

Bush will win primaries

Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are George W. Bush will beat the other Republican candidates and become the Republican candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q137a

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize Bush

cA01[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rN01

Bush will win primaries

Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are George W. Bush will beat the other Republican candidates and become the Republican candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q137a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize Bush

rA01[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

cN02

McCain will win primaries

Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are John McCain will beat the other Republican candidates and become the Republican candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q137c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if recognize McCain

cA21[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

rN02

McCain will win primaries

Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are John McCain will beat the other Republican candidates and become the Republican candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q137c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if recognize McCain

rA21[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

+	<p>cN03</p> <p>Forbes will win primaries</p> <p>Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are Steve Forbes will beat the other Republican candidates and become the Republican candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q137b</p> <p>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; IA CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; NH CS 14 Dec 99–12 Jan 00; Super CS 4–12 Jan 00</p> <p>Asked if recognize Forbes <i>cA39[0-100]</i></p> <p>Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer</p>	+		+
+	<p>cN04</p> <p>Gore will win primaries</p> <p>Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are that Al Gore will beat Bill Bradley and become the Democratic candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q139a</p> <p>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar</p> <p>Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ01[1]</p> <p>Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley <i>cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]</i></p> <p>Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer</p>	+	<p>rN04</p> <p>Gore will win primaries</p> <p>Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are that Al Gore will beat Bill Bradley and become the Democratic candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q139a</p> <p>IA Reint; NH Reint</p> <p>Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ01[1]</p> <p>Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley <i>rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]</i></p> <p>Range 0-100 998 Don't know 999 No answer</p>	+
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cN05

Bradley will win primaries

Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are that Bill Bradley will beat Al Gore and become the Democratic candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q139b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ01[2]

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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Likely winner of general presidential election

cN06

Bush will beat Gore

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, {through 24 Aug: if George W. Bush ran against Al Gore,} what are the chances Bush would beat Gore? Q144c

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ02[1]

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush or Gore}

{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100] or cA11[0-100]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rN05

Bradley will win primaries

Using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, what do you think the chances are that Bill Bradley will beat Al Gore and become the Democratic candidate for president? You can name any number from zero to 100. Q139b

IA Reint; NH Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ01[2]

Asked if recognize Gore or Bradley

rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rN06

Bush will beat Gore

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if George W. Bush ran against Al Gore, what are the chances Bush would beat Gore? Q144c

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ02[1]

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush or Gore}

{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA11[0-100]}

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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Presidential candidate chances : variable detail

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cN07**Gore will beat Bush**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, {through 24 Aug: if Al Gore ran against George W. Bush,} what are the chances Gore would beat Bush? Q144d

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ02[2]

Asked if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush or Gore}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100] or cA11[0-100]}

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cN08**McCain will beat Gore**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if John McCain ran against Al Gore, what are the chances McCain would beat Gore? Q144g

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ03[1]

Asked if recognize Gore or McCain
cA11[0-100] or cA21[0-100]

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rN07**Gore will beat Bush**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Al Gore ran against George W. Bush, what are the chances Gore would beat Bush? Q144d

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ02[2]

Asked if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush or Gore}
{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA11[0-100]}

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rN08**McCain will beat Gore**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if John McCain ran against Al Gore, what are the chances McCain would beat Gore? Q144g

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ03[1]

Asked if recognize Gore or McCain
rA11[0-100] or rA21[0-100]

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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<div>+</div> <div>cN09</div> <div>Gore will beat McCain</div> <div>Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Al Gore ran against John McCain, what are the chances Gore would beat McCain? Q144h</div> <div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</div> <div>Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ03[2]</div> <div>Asked if recognize Gore or McCain</div> <div><i>cA11[0-100] or cA21[0-100]</i></div> <div>Range 0-100</div> <div>998 Don't know</div> <div>999 No answer</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div> <div>rN09</div> <div>Gore will beat McCain</div> <div>Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Al Gore ran against John McCain, what are the chances Gore would beat McCain? Q144h</div> <div>IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint</div> <div>Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ03[2]</div> <div>Asked if recognize Gore or McCain</div> <div><i>rA11[0-100] or rA21[0-100]</i></div> <div>Range 0-100</div> <div>998 Don't know</div> <div>999 No answer</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div> <div>N-7</div>
<div>+</div> <div>cN10</div> <div>Bush will beat Bradley</div> <div>Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if George W. Bush ran against Bill Bradley, what are the chances Bush would beat Bradley? Q144a</div> <div>Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS</div> <div>Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ04[1]</div> <div>Asked if recognize Bush or Bradley</div> <div><i>cA01[0-100] or cA30[0-100]</i></div> <div>Range 0-100</div> <div>998 Don't know</div> <div>999 No answer</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div> <div>rN10</div> <div>Bush will beat Bradley</div> <div>Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if George W. Bush ran against Bill Bradley, what are the chances Bush would beat Bradley? Q144a</div> <div>IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint</div> <div>Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ04[1]</div> <div>Asked if recognize Bush or Bradley</div> <div><i>rA01[0-100] or rA30[0-100]</i></div> <div>Range 0-100</div> <div>998 Don't know</div> <div>999 No answer</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div>

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cN11**Bradley will beat Bush**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Bill Bradley ran against George W. Bush, what are the chances Bradley would beat Bush? Q144b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ04[2]

Asked if recognize Bush or Bradley

cA01[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cN12**McCain will beat Bradley**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if John McCain ran against Bill Bradley, what are the chances McCain would beat Bradley? Q144e

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ05[1]

Asked if recognize McCain or Bradley

cA21[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rN11**Bradley will beat Bush**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Bill Bradley ran against George W. Bush, what are the chances Bradley would beat Bush? Q144b

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ04[2]

Asked if recognize Bush or Bradley

rA01[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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rN12**McCain will beat Bradley**

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if John McCain ran against Bill Bradley, what are the chances McCain would beat Bradley? Q144e

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ05[1]

Asked if recognize McCain or Bradley

rA21[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

Range 0-100

998 Don't know

999 No answer

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cN13

Bradley will beat McCain

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Bill Bradley ran against John McCain, what are the chances Bradley would beat McCain? Q144f

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cNZ05[2]

Asked if recognize McCain or Bradley
cA21[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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Random assignment

cNZ01

Random assignment to N04 or N05

Q138

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar

Recorded if recognize Gore or Bradley
cA11[0-100] or cA30[0-100]

1 Assigned to cN04
2 Assigned to cN05

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cNZ02

Random assignment to N06 or N07

Q141

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Recorded if {through 3 Apr: recognize Bush or Gore}
{through 3 Apr: cA01[0-100] or cA11[0-100]}

1 Assigned to cN06
2 Assigned to cN07

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rN13

Bradley will beat McCain

Thinking about the general election in November and using a scale from zero to 100, where zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win, if Bill Bradley ran against John McCain, what are the chances Bradley would beat McCain? Q144f

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, rNZ05[2]

Asked if recognize McCain or Bradley
rA21[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

Range 0-100
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rNZ01

Random assignment to N04 or N05

Q138

IA Reint; NH Reint

Recorded if recognize Gore or Bradley
rA11[0-100] or rA30[0-100]

1 Assigned to rN04
2 Assigned to rN05

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rNZ02

Random assignment to N06 or N07

Q141

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Recorded if {IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: recognize Bush or Gore}
{IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint: rA01[0-100] or rA11[0-100]}

1 Assigned to rN06
2 Assigned to rN07

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+	cNZ03 Random assignment to N08 or N09 Q143 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS Recorded if recognize Gore or McCain <i>cA11[0-100] or cA21[0-100]</i> 1 Assigned to cN08 2 Assigned to cN09	+
+	cNZ04 Random assignment to N10 or N11 Q140 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS Recorded if recognize Bush or Bradley <i>cA01[0-100] or cA30[0-100]</i> 1 Assigned to cN10 2 Assigned to cN11	+
+	cNZ05 Random assignment to N12 or N13 Q142 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS Recorded if recognize McCain or Bradley <i>cA21[0-100] or cA30[0-100]</i> 1 Assigned to cN12 2 Assigned to cN13	+
+	rNZ03 Random assignment to N08 or N09 Q143 IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint Recorded if recognize Gore or McCain <i>rA11[0-100] or rA21[0-100]</i> 1 Assigned to rN08 2 Assigned to rN09	+
+	rNZ04 Random assignment to N10 or N11 Q140 IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint Recorded if recognize Bush or Bradley <i>rA01[0-100] or rA30[0-100]</i> 1 Assigned to rN10 2 Assigned to rN11	+
+	rNZ05 Random assignment to N12 or N13 Q142 IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint Recorded if recognize McCain or Bradley <i>rA21[0-100] or rA30[0-100]</i> 1 Assigned to rN12 2 Assigned to rN13	+

In this section are questions about endorsements of presidential candidates in the primary and general elections.

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Notes on variables in this section: newspaper endorsements

- For the **national cross-section study**, respondents were asked which presidential candidate was endorsed for the general election by the newspaper they read most in the past week (P21). The respondent base is those who read a newspaper in the past week (E13).
- For **Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked which presidential candidate was endorsed for the primary election by the newspaper they read most for presidential campaign news in the primary campaign (P31). The respondent base is those who paid attention to newspaper campaign news in the primary campaign (E15a).
- For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked which presidential candidate was endorsed for the Republican primary election by the newspaper they read most for presidential campaign news in the Republican primary campaign (P32). The respondent base is those who paid attention to newspaper campaign news in the Republican primary campaign (E15b).
- For **post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked which presidential candidate was endorsed for the general election by the newspaper they read most for presidential campaign news in the fall campaign (P21a). The respondent base is those who paid attention to newspaper campaign news in the fall campaign (E15c).

Primary presidential endorsements

cP01

Grassley endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Charles Grassley endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234a

IA CS 18–23 Jan 00

1	Bauer
2	Bradley
3	Buchanan
4	Bush
5	Forbes
6	Gore
7	Hatch
8	Keyes
9	McCain
10	Other
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rP01

Grassley endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Charles Grassley endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234a

IA Reint

1	Bauer
2	Bradley
3	Buchanan
4	Bush
5	Forbes
6	Gore
7	Hatch
8	Keyes
9	McCain
10	Other
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cP02

Wellstone endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Paul Wellstone endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234b

IA CS 18–23 Jan 00

1	Bauer
2	Bradley
3	Buchanan
4	Bush
5	Forbes
6	Gore
7	Hatch
8	Keyes
9	McCain
10	Other
998	Don't know
999	No answer

rP02

Wellstone endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Paul Wellstone endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234b

IA Reint

1	Bauer
2	Bradley
3	Buchanan
4	Bush
5	Forbes
6	Gore
7	Hatch
8	Keyes
9	McCain
10	Other
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cP03

Harkin endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Tom Harkin endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234c

IA CS 18-23 Jan 00

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP04

Kennedy endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Ted Kennedy endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234d

NH CS 18-31 Jan 00

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP03

Harkin endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Tom Harkin endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234c

IA Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP04

Kennedy endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Ted Kennedy endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234d

NH Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP05

Moynihan endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234e

NH CS 18-31 Jan 00

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bauer |
| 2 | Bradley |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Bush |
| 5 | Forbes |
| 6 | Gore |
| 7 | Hatch |
| 8 | Keyes |
| 9 | McCain |
| 10 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cP06

Manchester Union-Leader endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the Manchester Union-Leader endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234f

NH CS 18-31 Jan 00

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| 1 | Bauer |
| 2 | Bradley |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Bush |
| 5 | Forbes |
| 6 | Gore |
| 7 | Hatch |
| 8 | Keyes |
| 9 | McCain |
| 10 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rP05

Moynihan endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234e

NH Reint

- | | |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bauer |
| 2 | Bradley |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Bush |
| 5 | Forbes |
| 6 | Gore |
| 7 | Hatch |
| 8 | Keyes |
| 9 | McCain |
| 10 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rP06

Manchester Union-Leader endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the Manchester Union-Leader endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234f

NH Reint

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bauer |
| 2 | Bradley |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Bush |
| 5 | Forbes |
| 6 | Gore |
| 7 | Hatch |
| 8 | Keyes |
| 9 | McCain |
| 10 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Presidential candidate endorsements : variable detail

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cP07

NARAL endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the National Abortion and Reproductive Rights Action League, that is, NARAL endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234h

Nat CS 15 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 15 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 15–18 Feb; MI CS

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP08

NRLC endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the National Right to Life Committee endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234i

Nat CS 15 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 15 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 15–18 Feb; MI CS

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP07

NARAL endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the National Abortion and Reproductive Rights Action League, that is, NARAL endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234h

Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP08

NRLC endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the National Right to Life Committee endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234i

Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP09

Bauer endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who former presidential candidate Gary Bauer endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234j

Nat CS 17 Feb–3 Apr; Super CS 17 Feb–6 Mar; Sec CS; SC CS 17–18 Feb; MI CS 17–21 Feb

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP10 (cP10.1 ... cP10.2)

Concord Monitor endorsements for presidential primary

Do you happen to know the two candidates the Concord Monitor endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q235a

NH CS 24–31 Jan 00

Up to 2 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP09

Bauer endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who former presidential candidate Gary Bauer endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q234j

Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP10 (rP10.1 ... rP10.2)

Concord Monitor endorsements for presidential primary

Do you happen to know the two candidates the Concord Monitor endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who?
Q235a

NH Reint

Up to 2 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Presidential candidate endorsements : variable detail

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cP11

NH newspaper endorsements more for Gore or Bradley

Thinking about all the newspapers in New Hampshire and the surrounding area, would you say most endorsed Bill Bradley, most endorsed Al Gore or about half endorsed Bradley and half endorsed Gore [for the presidential primary]? Q236

NH CS 25–31 Jan 00

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Half Bradley, half Gore
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP12

NH newspaper endorsements more for Bush or McCain

Of the newspapers in New Hampshire and the surrounding area, would you say most endorsed George W. Bush, most endorsed John McCain or about half endorsed Bush and half endorsed McCain [for the presidential primary]? Q237

NH CS 25–31 Jan 00

- 1 Bush
- 2 McCain
- 3 Half Bush, half McCain
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP11

NH newspaper endorsements more for Gore or Bradley

Thinking about all the newspapers in New Hampshire and the surrounding area, would you say most endorsed Bill Bradley, most endorsed Al Gore or about half endorsed Bradley and half endorsed Gore [for the presidential primary]? Q236

NH Reint

- 1 Bradley
- 2 Gore
- 3 Half Bradley, half Gore
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rP12a

NH newspaper endorsements mostly for Bush, McCain or Forbes

Of the newspapers in New Hampshire and the surrounding area, would you say most endorsed George W. Bush, most endorsed Steve Forbes, most endorsed John McCain or they were about evenly divided among the candidates [for the presidential primary]? Q238

NH Reint

- 1 Bush
- 2 Forbes
- 3 McCain
- 4 Evenly divided among Bush, Forbes and McCain
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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General election presidential endorsements

cP13

AFT endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the American Federation of Teachers endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275a

Nat CS 28 Jul-7 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP13

AFT endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the American Federation of Teachers endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275a

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cP14

NEA endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the National Education Association endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275b

Nat CS 28 Jul-10 Sep

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP14

NEA endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the National Education Association endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275b

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cP15

Sierra Club endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the Sierra Club endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275c

Nat CS 28 Jul-10 Sep

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP15

Sierra Club endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the Sierra Club endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275c

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

+	cP16 Labor endorsement for president in general election Do you happen to know who organized labor endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275d Nat CS 11 Sep–7 Dec 00 Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}	1 Bush 2 Gore 3 Other 4 Did not endorse candidate 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+	rP16 Labor endorsement for president in general election Do you happen to know who organized labor endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275d 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}	1 Bush 2 Gore 3 Other 4 Did not endorse candidate 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+
+	cP17 Environmental endorsement for president in general election Do you happen to know who the major environmental organizations endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275e Nat CS 11 Sep–7 Dec 00 Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}	1 Bush 2 Gore 3 Other 4 Did not endorse candidate 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+	rP17 Environmental endorsement for president in general election Do you happen to know who the major environmental organizations endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275e 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}	1 Bush 2 Gore 3 Other 4 Did not endorse candidate 998 Don't know 999 No answer	+

cP18

NRLC endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the National Right to Life Committee endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275f

Nat CS 11 Sep–7 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP18

NRLC endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the National Right to Life Committee endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275f

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cP19

NRA endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the National Rifle Association endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275g

Nat CS 11 Sep–7 Dec 00

Limited to {starting 2 Oct: random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP19

NRA endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who the National Rifle Association endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275g

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Limited to {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: random 1/2 of sample, rX06[2]}

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cP20

Perot endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who Ross Perot endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275h

Nat CS 6 Nov–7 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP20

Perot endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who Ross Perot endorsed for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q275h

Elect Reint

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Other
- 4 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cP21

Endorsement for president in general election of newspaper read most in past week

Thinking about the newspaper you read most, did it endorse a candidate for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else? Q65

Nat CS 20 Oct-12 Dec 00

Asked if read newspaper in past week

cE13[1-7]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Nader
- 5 Other
- 6 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP21a

Endorsement for president in general election of newspaper read most in fall campaign

Thinking about the newspaper you read most [in the fall campaign], did it endorse a candidate for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else? Q68

Elect Reint

Asked if paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in fall campaign

rE15c[1-3]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Nader
- 5 Other
- 6 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cP22

Billy Graham endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who Billy Graham supported for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q276

Nat CS 8 Nov–7 Dec 00

Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX06[2]

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| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Other |
| 4 | Did not endorse candidate |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Questioning unique to reinterviews

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rP22

Billy Graham endorsement for president in general election

Do you happen to know who Billy Graham supported for president [for the general election]? (If yes) Who? Q276

Elect Reint

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|-----|---------------------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Other |
| 4 | Did not endorse candidate |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rP23

Catholic vote endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who an organization called Catholic Vote endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234g

NH Reint

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|-----|------------|
| 1 | Bauer |
| 2 | Bradley |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Bush |
| 5 | Forbes |
| 6 | Gore |
| 7 | Hatch |
| 8 | Keyes |
| 9 | McCain |
| 10 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rP24

Lindsay Graham endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Congressman Lindsay Graham endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234k

SC Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP25

Thurmond endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who Senator Strom Thurmond endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234l

SC Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP26
SC governor endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who former South Carolina governor Carroll Campbell endorsed for your state’s presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234m

SC Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

rP27
State governor endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the governor of your state endorsed for your state’s presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234n

Super Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don’t know
- 999 No answer

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rP28

Labor endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who organized labor endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234o

Super Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP29

Christian Coalition endorsement for presidential primary

Do you happen to know who the Christian Coalition endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q234p

Super Reint

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP30 (rP30.1 ... rP30.2)

Des Moines Register endorsements for presidential primary

Do you happen to know the two candidates the Des Moines Register endorsed for your state's presidential primary election? (If yes) Who? Q235b

IA Reint

Up to 2 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP31 (rP31.1 ... rP31.2)

Endorsement for presidential primary of newspaper read most in primary campaign

Thinking about the newspaper you read most for campaign news before your state's [presidential] primary [election], did it endorse any candidates for president? (If yes) Which ones? Q66

Super Reint

Asked if paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in primary campaign

rE15a[1-3]

Up to 2 mentions recorded

- 1 Bauer
- 2 Bradley
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Bush
- 5 Forbes
- 6 Gore
- 7 Hatch
- 8 Keyes
- 9 McCain
- 10 Other
- 11 Did not endorse candidate
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rP32 (rP32.1 ... rP32.2)
Endorsement for GOP presidential primary of newspaper read most in GOP primary campaign

Thinking about the newspaper you read most for campaign news before your state's Republican [presidential] primary [election], did it endorse any candidates for president? (If yes) Which ones? Q67

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if paid attention to newspaper news about presidential campaign in GOP primary campaign
rE15b[1-3]

Up to 2 mentions recorded

1	Bauer
2	Bradley
3	Buchanan
4	Bush
5	Forbes
6	Gore
7	Hatch
8	Keyes
9	McCain
10	Other
11	Did not endorse candidate
998	Don't know
999	No answer

In this section are questions measuring:

- voter registration;
- intended and actual voting in the presidential primary;
- intended and actual voting in the general presidential election;
- general voting attitudes and behaviors.

But see section U for intended and actual voting in general election US House and Senate races.

Also in this section are four questions about perceptions of female presidential and vice presidential candidates.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-27:

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Debate panels	115
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Notes on variables in this section: voter registration

- For **cross-section interviews before the general election** (through 6 Nov 00), respondents were asked if they were registered to vote by the time of the interview (R02). In addition, voter registration was confirmed (R03) for, through 17 Jul, those interviewed pre-presidential primary election (see presidential primary election status below), and starting 18 Jul, all.
- For **cross-section interviews after the general election** (starting 8 Nov 00), respondents were asked if they were registered to vote for the general election (R04), and registration was confirmed (R05).
- For **IA, NH and Super Tuesday post-primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they were registered to vote for the presidential primary election (R02a).
- For **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they were registered to vote for the Republican presidential primary election (R02b).
- For **post-convention reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they were

registered to vote by the time of the interview, and registration was confirmed.

- For **post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were asked if they were registered to vote for the general election, and registration was confirmed.

Note that voter registration was not used to screen any questions about intended or actual voting.

Intended and actual voting in the presidential primary

Questioning regarding presidential primary voting was tailored based on if the respondent was interviewed before or after their state's primary election.

Presidential primary election status

R01 records if the respondent was interviewed pre- or post-presidential primary election. In general (see also special cases below):

- Respondents interviewed before the day of their state's presidential primary election are classified interviewed pre-presidential primary election (R01[1]).
- Those interviewed after their state's primary election are classified interviewed post-primary (R01[2]).
- Respondents interviewed on the day of the election are classified presidential primary election status undesignated (R01[4]).

See page R-7 for primary election dates.

Special cases: presidential primary election status

- **States with primary voting on multiple dates: national cross-section study** In the following states, presidential primary voting was held on multiple dates: AZ, DE, ID, MI, MN, ND, NV, SC, VA, WY. For the national cross-section study, respondents in these states interviewed 25 Jan 00 through the day of their state's last presidential primary election are classified presidential primary election status undesignated. For example, AZ held Republican presidential primary voting 22 Feb and Democratic voting 11 Mar; national cross-section study respondents in AZ interviewed 25 Jan–11 Mar 00 are classified presidential primary election status undesignated. Starting 12 Mar, they are

classified interviewed post-presidential primary election.

- **SC pre-Republican primary election cross-section study** In SC, Republican presidential primary voting was held 19 Feb, before Democratic voting 9 Mar. National cross-section study respondents living in SC interviewed 25 Jan–9 Mar 00 are classified presidential primary election status undesignated (see above). But respondents in the SC pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section study are classified interviewed pre-presidential primary election.
- **MI pre-Republican primary election cross-section study** Similarly, in MI, Republican presidential primary voting was held 22 Feb, before Democratic voting 11 Mar. National cross-section study respondents living in MI interviewed 25 Jan–11 Mar 00 are classified presidential primary election status undesignated. But respondents in the MI pre-Republican presidential primary election cross-section study are classified interviewed pre-primary election.
- **SC and MI post-Republican primary reinterviews** For SC and MI post-Republican presidential primary reinterviews, respondents are classified interviewed post-Republican presidential primary election (R01[3]).

Line of questioning

In general, respondents interviewed pre-presidential primary election were asked about intended voting, and respondents interviewed post-presidential primary were asked about actual voting. In addition, starting in mid January, respondents interviewed pre-presidential primary were first asked if they had early voted in the election; those who did were asked about actual rather than intended voting.

Specifically:

- **Respondents interviewed pre-presidential primary election** were asked if they intended to vote in the primary (R07–R08). If yes, they were asked if they intended to vote in the Republican or Democratic primary (R09) and for which candidate (R10–R12; see intended presidential primary balloting below). Respondents who intended to vote in the presidential primary were also asked if they planned to early vote (R13–R14).

- In addition to the above, **starting 18 Jan 00**, respondents interviewed pre-presidential primary election, with the exception of the IA cross-section study, were first asked if they had early voted in the election. If yes, they are recorded as having voted (R15) early (R19) and were asked instead about their voting (R16–R18, R20, R21; see post-primary questioning below). If no, they are recorded as not having voted (R15) and were asked about intended voting (R07–R14).
- **Respondents interviewed post-presidential primary election** were asked if they voted in the primary (R15). If yes, they were asked if they voted in the Republican or Democratic primary (R16) and for which candidate (R17–R18). Respondents who voted were also asked if they voted early (R19) and if yes, how (R20, R21) and if they regretted doing so (R22).
- **SC and MI reinterview respondents interviewed post-Republican presidential primary election** were asked if they voted in the Republican primary (R15a). If yes, they were asked which candidate they voted for (R17). Respondents who voted in the Republican primary were also asked if they voted early (R19a) and if yes, how (R20a, R21a) and if they regretted doing so (R22a).

The figure on page R-5 summarizes the line of questioning for intended and actual voting in the presidential primary.

Intended presidential primary balloting

The respondent base for intended balloting in the Republican presidential primary (R11) includes those who intended to vote in the primary election (R07[1]) and either intended to vote in the Republican election (R09[1]) or did not specify if they would vote in the Republican or Democratic election (R09[998–999]) but said they were following the Republican presidential primary campaign more closely than the Democratic campaign (R10[1]).

Similarly, the respondent base for intended balloting in the Democratic presidential primary (R12) includes those who intended to vote in the primary election and either intended to vote in the Democratic election (R09[2]) or did not specify if they would vote in the Republican or Democratic election but said they were following the Democratic presidential primary campaign more closely than the Republican campaign (R10[2]).

Note that R10, if the respondent was following the Republican or Democratic presidential primary campaign more closely, was intended solely to calculate the respondent bases for R11–R12. R10 was asked only of those who intended to vote in the presidential primary but did not specify if they would vote in the Republican or Democratic election.

Intended and actual voting in the general presidential election

- **Through 1 Oct**, respondents were asked which presidential candidate they intended to vote for in the general election (R23–R29; see general election trial heats below). Respondents were then asked if they intended to vote in the general election (R30–R31) and if yes, if they intended to vote early (R32–R33).
- **2 Oct through before the general election** (6 Nov 00), respondents were asked if they had early voted in the general election. If yes, they are recorded as having voted (R34) early (R36) and were asked instead about their voting (R35, R37–R38; see post-election questioning below). If no, they are recorded as not having voted (R34) and were asked about intended voting (R23–R33).
- **After the general election** (starting 8 Nov 00), respondents were asked if they voted in the general election (R34). If yes, they were asked which presidential candidate they voted for (R35) and if they voted early (R36). Those who voted early were asked how (R37–R38) and if they regretted doing so (R39–R40). Those who did not vote in the general election were asked which presidential candidate they might have voted for (R41).

The figure on page R-6 summarizes the line of questioning for intended and actual voting in the general election.

Note that for intended voting in the general presidential election, respondents were first asked which presidential candidate they would vote for, then if they intended to participate in the election. By contrast, for intended voting in the presidential primary election, respondents were first asked if they intended to participate in the election, and then those who intended to participate were asked which candidate they would vote for.

General election trial heats

Intended balloting for president in the general election was measured with multiple trial heat questions:

- **Through 8 Mar**, respondents were asked which presidential candidate they would vote for in the general election given four match-ups: Bush vs. Gore (R23), McCain vs. Gore (R24), Bush vs. Bradley (R25) and McCain vs. Bradley (R26).
- **9 Mar–3 Apr**, respondents were asked about Bush vs. Gore and McCain vs. Gore.
- **4 Apr–17 Jul**, respondents were asked about Bush vs. Gore.
- **18 Jul–7 Sep**, respondents were asked about Bush vs. Gore and Bush vs. Gore vs. Buchanan vs. Nader (R27).
- **Starting 8 Sep**, respondents were asked about Bush vs. Gore and Bush vs. Gore vs. Buchanan vs. Nader. In addition, those who did not say they would vote for Bush were asked if there was any chance they would (R28). And those who did not say they would vote for Gore were asked if there was any chance they would (R29).

Random question and response orders

RZ02–RZ05 record the random order in which the presidential candidates were read as response options in trial heat questions R23–R26. For example, RZ02[2] means Gore was read before Bush in R23.

RZ01 records the random order in which respondents were asked if they would vote for Bush or Gore (R23) or Bush, Gore, Buchanan or Nader (R27). For example, if RZ01[2], respondents were asked R27 and then R23.

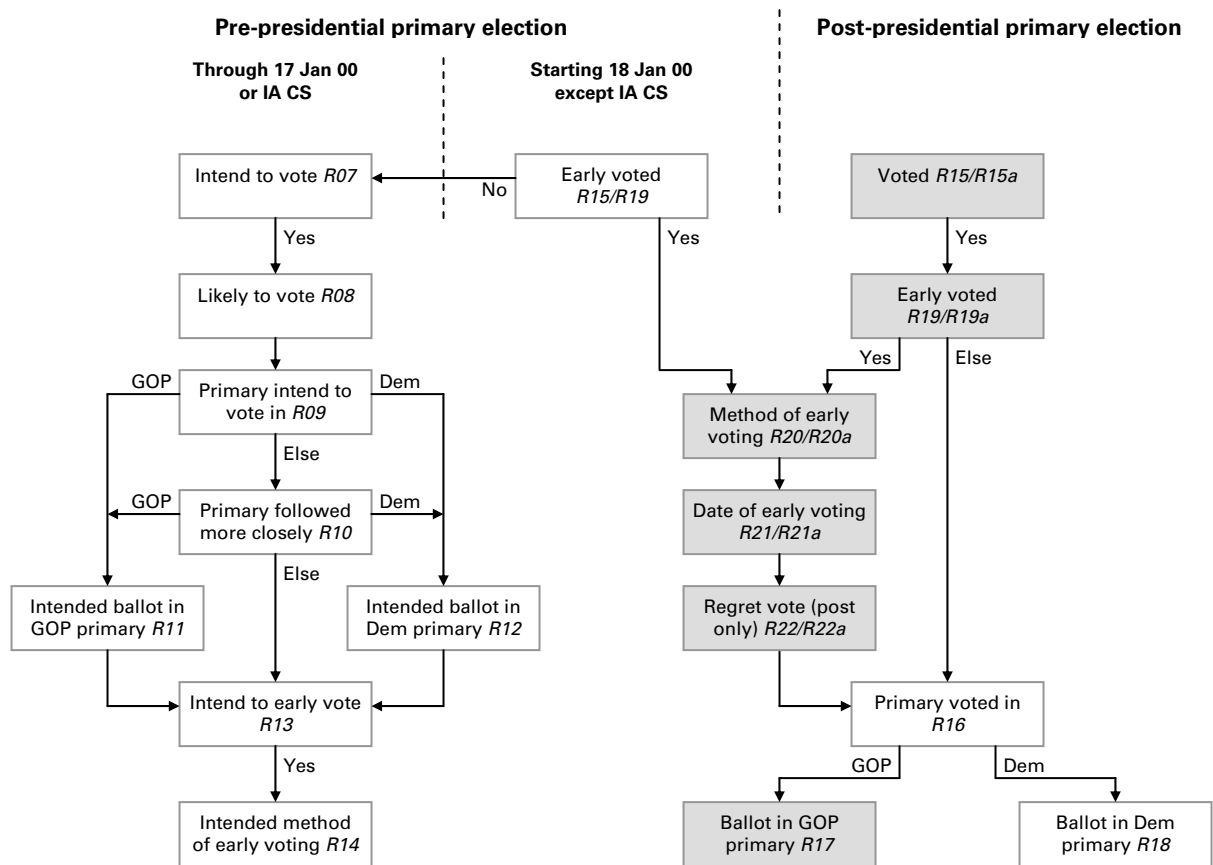
RZ06 records the random order in which the presidential candidates were read as response options in trial heat question R27. Similarly, RZ07 records the random order in which the presidential candidates were read as response options in R35, actual general election balloting for president. For RZ06 and RZ07, order is represented as abcd, where a is the candidate read first, b the candidate read second, c the candidate read third and d the candidate read fourth. For each digit of abcd, 1 is Bush, 2 is Gore, 3 is Buchanan and 4 is Nader. For example, 2413 means the candidates were read Gore, Nader, Bush, Buchanan.

Data collection errors

- **Intended and actual voting in the presidential primary** For the national and NH and Super Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section studies 18 Jan 00, cR03 and cR06–cR22 were inadvertently not measured. These cases are coded 999.
- **cR13–cR14** For the national cross-section study 16–20 Apr, cR13–cR14 were inadvertently not measured. These cases are coded 999.

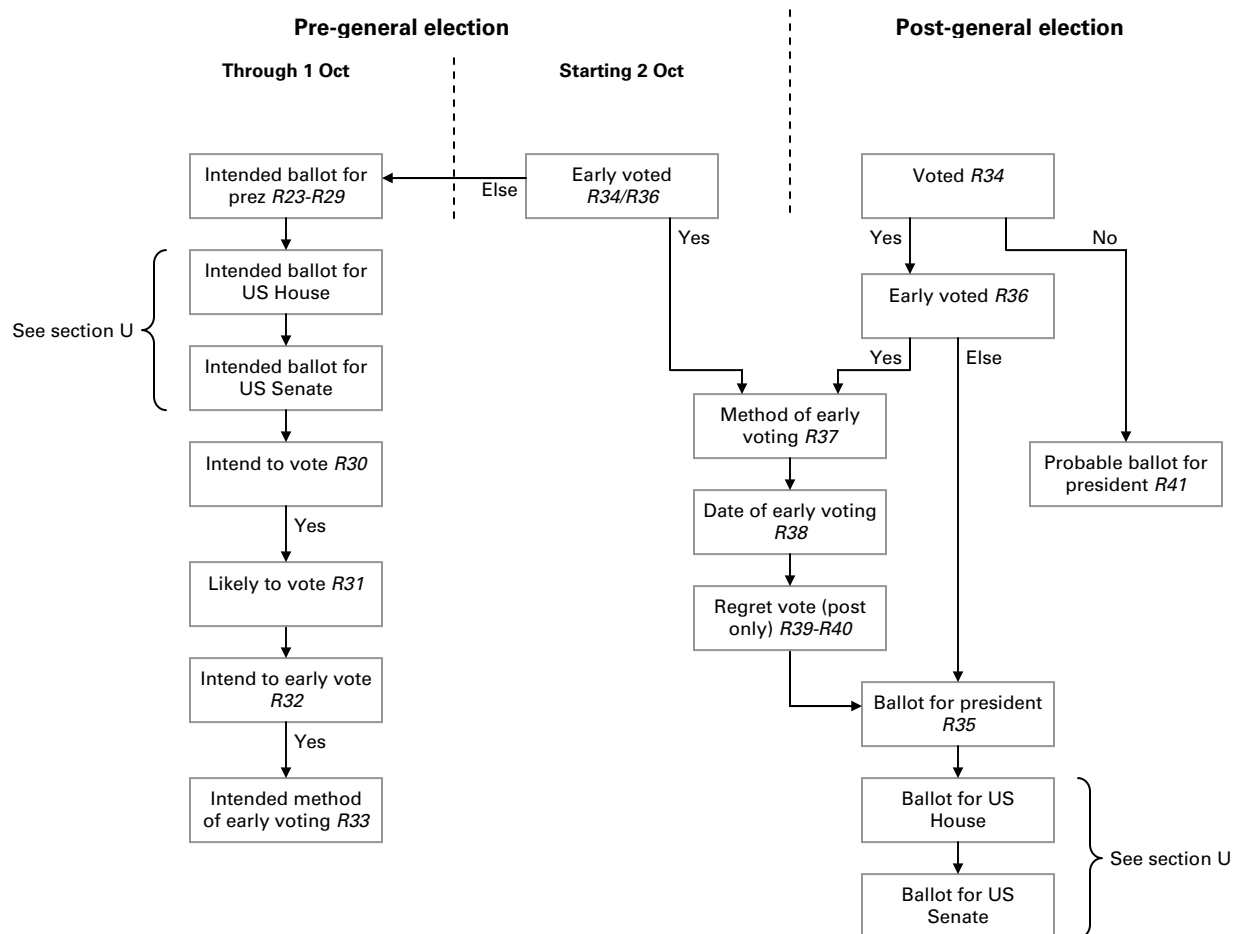
Intended and actual voting in the presidential primary

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For post-SC and MI Republican primary reinterviews, only voting in the Republican primary was measured (shaded items: R15a, R17, R19a–R22a).

Intended and actual voting in the general election



Presidential and Congressional primary election dates

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State	Presidential primary election			Congressional primary election
	Republican and Democratic balloting on same day	Republican balloting only	Democratic balloting only	
AL	6 Jun			6 Jun
AR	23 May			23 May
AZ		22 Feb	11 Mar	12 Sep
CA	7 Mar			7 Mar
CO	10 Mar			8 Aug
CT	7 Mar			12 Sep
DC	2 May			
DE		8 Feb	27 Mar	9 Sep
FL	14 Mar			5 Sep
GA	7 Mar			18 Jul
IA	24 Jan 00			6 Jun
ID		23 May	7 Mar	23 May
IL	21 Mar			21 Mar
IN	2 May			2 May
KS	4 Apr			1 Aug
KY	23 May			23 May
LA	14 Mar			7 Nov
MA	7 Mar			19 Sep
MD	7 Mar			7 Mar
ME	7 Mar			13 Jun
MI		22 Feb	11 Mar	8 Aug
MN		25 Apr	12 Mar	12 Sep
MO	7 Mar			8 Aug
MS	14 Mar			14 Mar
MT	6 Jun			6 Jun
NC	2 May			2 May
ND		29 Feb	7 Mar	13 Jun
NE	9 May			9 May
NH	1 Feb			12 Sep
NJ	6 Jun			6 Jun
NM	6 Jun			6 Jun
NV		25 May	12 Mar	5 Sep
NY	7 Mar			12 Sep
OH	7 Mar			7 Mar

Presidential and Congressional primary election dates

State	Presidential primary election			Congressional primary election
	Republican and Democratic balloting on same day	Republican balloting only	Democratic balloting only	
OK	14 Mar			22 Aug
OR	16 May			16 May
PA	4 Apr			4 Apr
RI	7 Mar			12 Sep
SC		19 Feb	9 Mar	13 Jun
SD	6 Jun			6 Jun
TN	14 Mar			3 Aug
TX	14 Mar			14 Mar
UT	10 Mar			27 Jun
VA		29 Feb	17 Apr	13 Jun
VT	7 Mar			12 Sep
WA	7 Mar			19 Sep
WI	4 Apr			12 Sep
WV	9 May			9 May
WY		10 Mar	25 Mar	22 Aug

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cR01
Presidential primary election status
 Q14
 Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

1	Interviewed pre-presidential primary election
2	Interviewed post-presidential primary election
4	Undesignated (multiple primary dates or interviewed on day of election)

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Voter registration, pre-general election

cR02
Registered to vote by interview
 These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. Are you now registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far? Q299
 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rR01
Presidential primary election status
 Q14
 IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

1	Interviewed pre-presidential primary election
2	Interviewed post-presidential primary election
3	Interviewed post-Republican presidential primary election (SC, MI Reint)

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rR02
Registered to vote by interview
 These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. Are you now registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far? Q299
 GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rR02a
Registered to vote for presidential primary
 These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. At the time of your state's presidential primary election were you registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or weren't you able to register? Q297
 IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cR05

Certain registered to vote for general election

Are you absolutely certain you were registered to vote for the general election, or is there a chance your registration lapsed because you moved or for some other reason? Q302

Nat CS 8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

Asked if registered to vote for general election
cR04[1]

- 1 Certain
- 2 Chance registration lapsed
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Intended presidential primary vote

cR06

Thought about presidential primary

How much thought have you given to the upcoming presidential primary election in your state? Quite a lot or only a little? Q318

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–5 Jun 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Asked if interviewed pre-presidential primary election
cR01[1]

- 1 A lot
- 2 Little
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR07

Intend to vote in presidential primary

As of now, are you planning to vote in your state's upcoming presidential primary election? Q325

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–5 Jun 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if interviewed pre-presidential primary election
{starting 18 Jan 00 except IA CS: and did not early vote}

cR01[1] and {starting 18 Jan 00 except IA CS: cR15[2]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR05

Certain registered to vote for general election

Are you absolutely certain you were registered to vote for the general election, or is there a chance your registration lapsed because you moved or for some other reason? Q302

Elect Reint

Asked if registered to vote for general election
rR04[1]

- 1 Certain
- 2 Chance registration lapsed
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cR08			
	Likely to vote in presidential primary			
	I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the [presidential] primary on a scale of one to 10. Ten represents a person who definitely will vote, and one represents a person who definitely will not vote. Q326			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–5 Jun 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS			
	Asked if intend to vote in presidential primary			
	cR07[1]			
	Range 1-10			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cR09			
	Intend to vote in GOP or Democratic presidential primary			
	As you may know, the Republican candidates run in one primary election, and the Democratic candidates run in another election. If you vote, you will be able to vote in only one of these elections, not both. As of now, do you plan to vote in the Republican [presidential] primary or the Democratic primary? Q327			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99–5 Jun 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	Asked if intend to vote in presidential primary			
	cR07[1]			
	1 Republican			
	2 Democratic			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cR10				
Following GOP or Democratic presidential primary more closely				
Which presidential campaign are you following more closely, the Republican one or the Democratic one? Q328				
Nat CS 14 Dec 99–5 Jun 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
Asked if intend to vote in presidential primary, but undesignated if intend to vote in GOP or Democratic primary				
<i>cR07[1] and cR09[998-999]</i>				
1	Republican			
2	Democratic			
3	No difference			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cR11				
Intended ballot for GOP presidential nominee				
If you voted today in the Republican presidential primary election, which candidate would you vote for? {through 3 Feb: Gary Bauer,} George W. Bush, {through 13 Feb: Steve Forbes,} {through 3 Feb: Orrin Hatch,} Alan Keyes, John McCain or someone else? Q329				
Nat CS 14 Dec 99–5 Jun 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
Asked if intend to vote in presidential primary, and either intend to vote in GOP primary or following GOP more closely than Democratic primary campaign				
<i>cR07[1] and (cR09[1] or cR10[1])</i>				
1	Bauer			
2	Bush			
3	Forbes			
4	Hatch			
5	Keyes			
6	McCain			
7	Other			
8	Would not vote for presidential nominee			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cR12
Intended ballot for Democratic presidential nominee

If you voted today in the Democratic presidential primary election, which candidate would you vote for? Bill Bradley, Al Gore or someone else?
Q330

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if intend to vote in presidential primary, and either intend to vote in Democratic primary or following Democratic more closely than GOP primary campaign
cR07[1] and (cR09[2] or cR10[2])

1 Bradley
2 Gore
3 Other
4 Would not vote for presidential nominee
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cR13
Intend to early vote in presidential primary

Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in your state's presidential primary election? Q331

Nat CS 18 Jan–5 Jun 00; NH CS 18–31 Jan 00; Super CS 18 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if intend to vote in presidential primary
cR07[1]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cR18**Ballot for Democratic presidential nominee**

Which candidate did you vote for [in the Democratic presidential primary]? Bill Bradley, Al Gore or someone else? Q324, Q337

Nat CS 18 Jan–13 Dec 00; NH CS 18–31 Jan 00; Super CS 18 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if voted in Democratic presidential primary
cR16[2]

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|-----|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Bradley |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Other |
| 4 | Did not vote for presidential nominee |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cR19**Early voted in presidential primary**

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? (Pre-presidential primary election: Have you already voted | post-primary: Did you vote early) in your state's presidential primary election, or (not | did you vote on Election Day)? Q319, Q338

Nat CS 18 Jan–17 Jul 00; NH CS 18–31 Jan 00; Super CS 18 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if voted in presidential primary
cR15[1]

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| 1 | Early |
| 2 | On Election Day |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rR18**Ballot for Democratic presidential nominee**

Which candidate did you vote for [in the Democratic presidential primary]? Bill Bradley, Al Gore or someone else? Q337

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if voted in Democratic presidential primary
rR16[2]

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| 1 | Bradley |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Other |
| 4 | Did not vote for presidential nominee |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rR19**Early voted in presidential primary**

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? Did you vote early in your state's presidential primary election, or did you vote on Election Day? Q338

NH Reint; Super Reint

Asked if voted in presidential primary
rR15[1]

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| 1 | Early |
| 2 | On Election Day |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rR19a**Early voted in GOP presidential primary**

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? Did you vote early in your state's [Republican] presidential primary election, or did you vote on Election Day? Q339

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if voted in GOP presidential primary
rR15a[1]

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| 1 | Early |
| 2 | On Election Day |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cR20

Method of early voting in presidential primary

How did you cast your ballot [early in the presidential primary]? Q320, Q340

Nat CS 18 Jan–17 Jul 00; NH CS 18–31 Jan 00; Super CS 18 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if early voted in presidential primary

cR19[1]

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| 1 | Voting at an early polling station |
| 2 | Sending in a ballot by mail |
| 3 | Sending in a ballot by fax |
| 4 | Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office |
| 5 | Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you |
| 6 | Voting over the telephone |
| 7 | Voting online, that is voting over the Internet |
| 8 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rR20

Method of early voting in presidential primary

How did you cast your ballot [early in the presidential primary]? Q340

NH Reint; Super Reint

Asked if early voted in presidential primary

rR19[1]

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| 1 | Voting at an early polling station |
| 2 | Sending in a ballot by mail |
| 3 | Sending in a ballot by fax |
| 4 | Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office |
| 5 | Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you |
| 6 | Voting over the telephone |
| 7 | Voting online, that is voting over the Internet |
| 8 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rR20a

Method of early voting in GOP presidential primary

How did you cast your ballot [early in the Republican presidential primary] Q341

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if early voted in GOP presidential primary

rR19a[1]

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|-----|---|
| 1 | Voting at an early polling station |
| 2 | Sending in a ballot by mail |
| 3 | Sending in a ballot by fax |
| 4 | Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office |
| 5 | Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you |
| 6 | Voting over the telephone |
| 7 | Voting online, that is voting over the Internet |
| 8 | Other |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cR21

Date early voted in presidential primary

On what date did you cast your ballot [early in the presidential primary]? Q321, Q342

Nat CS 18 Jan–17 Jul 00; NH CS 18–31 Jan 00; Super CS 18 Jan–6 Mar 00; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if early voted in presidential primary

cR19[1]

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Verbatim (cR21\$)

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Don't know

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No answer

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rR21

Date early voted in presidential primary

On what date did you cast your ballot [early in the presidential primary]? Q342

NH Reint; Super Reint

Asked if early voted in presidential primary

rR19[1]

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Verbatim (rR21\$)

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Don't know

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No answer

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rR21a

Date early voted in GOP presidential primary

On what date did you cast your ballot [early in the Republican presidential primary]? Q343

SC Reint; MI Reint

Asked if early voted in GOP presidential primary

rR19a[1]

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Verbatim (rR21a\$)

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Don't know

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No answer

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cR22

Would change early vote for presidential nominee

If you had waited to vote at the polls on Election Day in the presidential primary, would your vote have been different than it was on your early ballot? Q344

Nat CS 25 Jan–17 Jul 00

Asked if early voted in presidential primary and interviewed post-presidential primary election

cR19[1] and cR01[2]

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Yes

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No

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Don't know

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No answer

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rR22

Would change early vote for presidential nominee

If you had waited to vote at the polls on Election Day in the presidential primary, would your vote have been different than it was on your early ballot? Q344

NH Reint; Super Reint

Asked if early voted in presidential primary

rR19[1]

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Yes

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No

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Don't know

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No answer

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cR24

Intended general election ballot, McCain vs. Gore

Thinking about the general election in November, if you voted today in the general election for president and the candidates were John McCain, the Republican, and Al Gore, the Democrat, who would you vote for? Q352g, Q352h

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 Would not vote for president
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR25

Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Bradley

Thinking about the general election in November, if you voted today in the general election for president and the candidates were George W. Bush, the Republican, and Bill Bradley, the Democrat, who would you vote for? Q352a, Q352b

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 Would not vote for president
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR24

Intended general election ballot, McCain vs. Gore

Thinking about the general election in November, if you voted today in the general election for president and the candidates were John McCain, the Republican, and Al Gore, the Democrat, who would you vote for? Q352g, Q352h

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 Would not vote for president
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR25

Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Bradley

Thinking about the general election in November, if you voted today in the general election for president and the candidates were George W. Bush, the Republican, and Bill Bradley, the Democrat, who would you vote for? Q352a, Q352b

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 Would not vote for president
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Intended general election ballot, McCain vs. Bradley

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS

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| 1 | Republican |
| 2 | Democrat |
| 3 | Other |
| 4 | Would not vote for president |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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**Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Gore
vs. Buchanan vs. Nader**

Nat CS 18 Jul-6 Nov 00

{starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}

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| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Nader |
| 5 | Other |
| 6 | Would not vote for president |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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Intended general election ballot, McCain vs. Bradley

IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint

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|-----|------------------------------|
| 1 | Republican |
| 2 | Democrat |
| 3 | Other |
| 4 | Would not vote for president |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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**Intended general election ballot, Bush vs. Gore
vs. Buchanan vs. Nader**

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11
 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

*{3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint;
rR34[2-999]}*

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|-----|------------------------------|
| 1 | Bush |
| 2 | Gore |
| 3 | Buchanan |
| 4 | Nader |
| 5 | Other |
| 6 | Would not vote for president |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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cR28**Any chance would vote for Bush in general election**

Is there any chance you would vote for George W. Bush in the November election, or is there no chance whatsoever that you would vote for him? Q355a

Nat CS 8 Sep–6 Nov 00

Asked if do not intend to vote for Bush in general election {starting 2 Oct: and did not early vote}

cR23[2-999] and cR27[2-999] and {starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rR28**Any chance would vote for Bush in general election**

Is there any chance you would vote for George W. Bush in the November election, or is there no chance whatsoever that you would vote for him? Q355a

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if do not intend to vote for Bush in general election and did not early vote

rR23[2-999] and rR27[2-999] and rR34[2-999]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cR29**Any chance would vote for Gore in general election**

Is there any chance you would vote for Al Gore in the November election, or is there no chance whatsoever that you would vote for him? Q355b

Nat CS 8 Sep–6 Nov 00

Asked if do not intend to vote for Gore in general election {starting 2 Oct: and did not early vote}

cR23[1, 3, 4, 998, 999] and cR27[1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 998, 999] and {starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rR29**Any chance would vote for Gore in general election**

Is there any chance you would vote for Al Gore in the November election, or is there no chance whatsoever that you would vote for him? Q355b

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if do not intend to vote for Gore in general election and did not early vote

rR23[1, 3, 4, 998, 999] and rR27[1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 998, 999] and rR34[2-999]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

cR30**Intend to vote in general election**

Do you plan to vote in the general election in November, or don't you plan to vote? Q358

Nat CS 4 Apr–6 Nov 00

Asked if {starting 2 Oct: did not early vote in general election}

{starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rR30**Intend to vote in general election**

Do you plan to vote in the general election in November, or don't you plan to vote? Q358

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Asked if {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: did not early vote in general election}

{3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: rR34[2-999]}

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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		cR31			rR31
		Likely to vote in general election			Likely to vote in general election
		I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the general election on a scale of one to 10. Ten represents a person who definitely will vote, and one represents a person who definitely will not vote. Q359			I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the general election on a scale of one to 10. Ten represents a person who definitely will vote, and one represents a person who definitely will not vote. Q359
		Nat CS 28 Jul–29 Aug			GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint
		Asked if intend to vote in general election			Asked if intend to vote in general election
		<i>cR30[1]</i>			<i>rR30[1]</i>
		Range 1-10			Range 1-10
		998 Don't know			998 Don't know
		999 No answer			999 No answer
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		cR32			rR32
		Intend to early vote in general election			Intend to early vote in general election
		Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in the [general] presidential election? Q360			Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in the [general] presidential election? Q360
		Nat CS 2 Oct–6 Nov 00			3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint
		Asked if intend to vote in general election			Asked if intend to vote in general election
		<i>cR30[1]</i>			<i>rR30[1]</i>
		1 Yes			1 Yes
		2 No			2 No
		998 Don't know			998 Don't know
		999 No answer			999 No answer
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		cR33			rR33
		Intended method of early voting in general election			Intended method of early voting in general election
		How will you cast your ballot [early in the general election]? Q361			How will you cast your ballot [early in the general election]? Q361
		Nat CS 2 Oct–6 Nov 00			3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint
		Asked if intend to early vote in general election			Asked if intend to early vote in general election
		<i>cR32[1]</i>			<i>rR32[1]</i>
		1 Voting at an early polling station			1 Voting at an early polling station
		2 Sending in a ballot by mail			2 Sending in a ballot by mail
		3 Sending in a ballot by fax			3 Sending in a ballot by fax
		4 Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office			4 Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office
		5 Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you			5 Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you
		6 Voting over the telephone			6 Voting over the telephone
		7 Voting online, that is voting over the Internet			7 Voting online, that is voting over the Internet
		8 Other			8 Other
		998 Don't know			998 Don't know
		999 No answer			999 No answer
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Actual general election vote

cR34

Voted in general election

{through 6 Nov 00: Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? Have you already voted in this year's [general] presidential election or not? | starting 8 Nov 00: In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they do not get a chance to vote. Did you happen to vote in the November election?} Q304, Q346

Nat CS 2 Oct 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rR34

Voted in general election

{through 6 Nov 00: Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? Have you already voted in this year's [general] presidential election or not? | starting 8 Nov 00: In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they do not get a chance to vote. Did you happen to vote in the November election?} Q304, Q346

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cR35

General election ballot for president

For president, did you vote [in the general election] for George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else? Q306, Q365

Nat CS 2 Oct 00–19 Jan 01

Asked if voted in general election
cR34[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Nader
- 5 Other
- 6 Did not vote for president
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

rR35

General election ballot for president

For president, did you vote [in the general election] for George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else? Q306, Q365

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if voted in general election
rR34[1]

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Buchanan
- 4 Nader
- 5 Other
- 6 Did not vote for president
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR36

Early voted in general election

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? {through 6 Nov 00: Have you already voted in this year's [general] presidential election or not? | starting 8 Nov 00: Did you vote early in the November election, or did you vote on Election Day?} Q309, Q346

Nat CS 2 Oct-19 Dec 00

Asked if voted in general election
cR34[1]

- 1 Early
- 2 On Election Day
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR37

Method of early voting in general election

How did you cast your ballot [early in the general election]? Q310, Q362

Nat CS 2 Oct-19 Dec 00

Asked if early voted in general election
cR36[1]

- 1 Voting at an early polling station
- 2 Sending in a ballot by mail
- 3 Sending in a ballot by fax
- 4 Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office
- 5 Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you
- 6 Voting over the telephone
- 7 Voting online, that is voting over the Internet
- 8 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR36

Early voted in general election

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you? {through 6 Nov 00: Have you already voted in this year's [general] presidential election or not? | starting 8 Nov 00: Did you vote early in the November election, or did you vote on Election Day?} Q309, Q346

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if voted in general election
rR34[1]

- 1 Early
- 2 On Election Day
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR37

Method of early voting in general election

How did you cast your ballot [early in the general election]? Q310, Q362

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if early voted in general election
rR36[1]

- 1 Voting at an early polling station
- 2 Sending in a ballot by mail
- 3 Sending in a ballot by fax
- 4 Personally dropping off a ballot at an election office
- 5 Having someone else drop off a ballot at an election office for you
- 6 Voting over the telephone
- 7 Voting online, that is voting over the Internet
- 8 Other
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR38

Date early voted in general election

On what date did you cast your ballot [early in the general election]? Q311, Q363

Nat CS 2 Oct–19 Dec 00

Asked if early voted in general election

cR36[1]

1 Verbatim (cR38\$)
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cR39

Would change early vote for president in general election

If you had waited to vote at the polls on Election Day, would your vote [in the general election] for president have been different than it was on your early ballot? Q312

Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00

Asked if early voted in general election

cR36[1]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cR40

How would change early vote for president in general election

Who would you have voted for instead [for president if you had voted on Election Day instead of early in the general election]? Q313

Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00

Asked if would change early vote for president in general election

cR39[1]

1 Bush
2 Gore
3 Buchanan
4 Nader
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rR38

Date early voted in general election

On what date did you cast your ballot [early in the general election]? Q311, Q363

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if early voted in general election

rR36[1]

1 Verbatim (rR38\$)
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rR39

Would change early vote for president in general election

If you had waited to vote at the polls on Election Day, would your vote [in the general election] for president have been different than it was on your early ballot? Q312

Elect Reint

Asked if early voted in general election

rR36[1]

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rR40

How would change early vote for president in general election

Who would you have voted for instead [for president if you had voted on Election Day instead of early in the general election]? Q313

Elect Reint

Asked if would change early vote for president in general election

rR39[1]

1 Bush
2 Gore
3 Buchanan
4 Nader
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cR44

Know where to vote in neighborhood

Do you happen to know where people in your neighborhood go to vote? Q367

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–29 Aug 00, 2–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR45

Voted in current election district

Have you ever voted in your precinct or election district where you now live? Q368

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–29 Aug 00, 2–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR46

People known vote almost always

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: The people I know vote in almost every election. Q409b

Nat CS 8 Nov–13 Dec 00

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR44

Know where to vote in neighborhood

Do you happen to know where people in your neighborhood go to vote? Q367

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR45

Voted in current election district

Have you ever voted in your precinct or election district where you now live? Q368

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR46

People known vote almost always

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: The people I know vote in almost every election. Q409b

Elect Reint

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Voting behavior and general attitudes : variable detail

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cR47

Family and friends disappointed if do not vote

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: If I do not vote, my family and friends are disappointed in me. Q409a

Nat CS 8 Nov-13 Dec 00

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR48

Feel guilty if do not vote

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: If I do not vote, I feel guilty. Q409d

Nat CS 8 Nov-13 Dec 00

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR49

Feel less American if do not vote

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: If I do not vote, I feel less like an American. Q409c

Nat CS 8 Nov-13 Dec 00

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR47

Family and friends disappointed if do not vote

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: If I do not vote, my family and friends are disappointed in me. Q409a

Elect Reint

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR48

Feel guilty if do not vote

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: If I do not vote, I feel guilty. Q409d

Elect Reint

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR49

Feel less American if do not vote

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree: If I do not vote, I feel less like an American. Q409c

Elect Reint

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR50

Vote for satisfaction or duty

When you vote do you usually get a feeling of satisfaction from it, or do you only do it because it's your duty? Q374

Nat CS 28 Jul–25 Sep, 2–6 Nov 00

Asked if vote at least seldom

cR42[1-4]

- 1 Get satisfaction
- 2 Because of duty
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cR51

Voting important responsibility

Would you say voting is one of the most important responsibilities of being an American, very important, somewhat important or not too important? Q375

Nat CS 28 Jul–25 Sep, 2–6 Nov 00

- 1 Most important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Not too important
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Gender in politics

cR52

More likely to vote for GOP president if ran with Dole

If the Republican nominee for president named Elizabeth Dole as his running mate, would that make you more likely to vote for the Republicans in the general election, less likely, or wouldn't it matter to you? Q172

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS

Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[3]

- 1 More likely
- 2 Less likely
- 3 Would not matter
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR50

Vote for satisfaction or duty

When you vote do you usually get a feeling of satisfaction from it, or do you only do it because it's your duty? Q374

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Asked if vote at least seldom

rR42[1-4]

- 1 Get satisfaction
- 2 Because of duty
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rR51

Voting important responsibility

Would you say voting is one of the most important responsibilities of being an American, very important, somewhat important or not too important? Q375

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Most important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Not too important
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Voting behavior and general attitudes : variable detail

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	cR53			
	More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate			
	If George W. Bush chose a female as his running mate to be vice president, would that make you more likely to vote for him in the general election, less likely, or wouldn't it matter to you? Q161a			
	Nat CS 18-24 Jul			
	Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]			
	1 More likely			
	2 Less likely			
	3 Would not matter			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cR54			
	More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate			
	If Al Gore chose a female as his running mate to be vice president, would that make you more likely to vote for him in the general election, less likely, or wouldn't it matter to you? Q161b			
	Nat CS 18 Jul-6 Aug			
	Limited to random 1/2 of sample, cX03[1]			
	1 More likely			
	2 Less likely			
	3 Would not matter			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cR55			
	Male or female president better at most important issue			
	Thinking about the national issue that is most important to you, all other things being equal, would a male or a female president do a better job handling that issue? Q173			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 99-27 Jan 00; IA CS; NH CS 14 Dec 99-27 Jan 00; Super CS 4-27 Jan 00			
	Limited to random 1/4 of sample, cX01[3]			
	1 Male			
	2 Female			
	3 No difference			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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Questioning unique to reinterviews

rR56

Registered Republican or Democrat for presidential primary

At the time of the [presidential primary] election were you registered as a Republican, a Democrat or something else? Q303

Super Reint

Asked if registered to vote for presidential primary
rR02a[1]

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Verbatim (rR56\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

Random order

cRZ01

Random question order for R23, R27

Q347

Nat CS 18 Jul–6 Nov 00

Recorded if {starting 2 Oct: did not early vote in general election}
{starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}

- 1 cR23, cR27
- 2 cR27, cR23

rRZ01

Random question order for R23, R27

Q347

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Recorded if {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: did not early vote in general election}
{3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: rR34[2-999]}

- 1 rR23, rR27
- 2 rR27, rR23

cRZ02

Random response order for R23

Q349

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–6 Nov 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Recorded if {starting 2 Oct: did not early vote in general election}
{starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}

- 1 Bush, Gore
- 2 Gore, Bush

rRZ02

Random response order for R23

Q349

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

Recorded if {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: did not early vote in general election}
{3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: rR34[2-999]}

- 1 Bush, Gore
- 2 Gore, Bush

R-34	+	cRZ03 Random response order for R24 Q351 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–3 Apr 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS 1 McCain, Gore 2 Gore, McCain	+	rRZ03 Random response order for R24 Q351 IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint 1 McCain, Gore 2 Gore, McCain	+
	+	cRZ04 Random response order for R25 Q348 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS 1 Bush, Bradley 2 Bradley, Bush	+	rRZ04 Random response order for R25 Q348 IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint 1 Bush, Bradley 2 Bradley, Bush	+
	+	cRZ05 Random response order for R26 Q350 Nat CS 14 Dec 99–8 Mar 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS 28 Feb–8 Mar; SC CS; MI CS 1 McCain, Bradley 2 Bradley, McCain	+	rRZ05 Random response order for R26 Q350 IA Reint; NH Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint 1 McCain, Bradley 2 Bradley, McCain	+
	+	cRZ06 Random response order for R27 Q353 Nat CS 18 Jul–6 Nov 00 Recorded if {starting 2 Oct: did not early vote in general election} <i>{starting 2 Oct: cR34[2-999]}</i> Range 1234-4321	+	rRZ06 Random response order for R27 Q353 GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint Recorded if {3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: did not early vote in general election} <i>{3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint: rR34[2-999]}</i> Range 1234-4321	+
	+	cRZ07 Random response order for R35 Q305, Q364 Nat CS 2 Oct 00–19 Jan 01 Recorded if voted in general election <i>cR34[1]</i> Range 1234-4321	+	rRZ07 Random response order for R35 Q305, Q364 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint Recorded if voted in general election <i>rR34[1]</i> Range 1234-4321	+
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In this section are questions about varied aspects of the general election outcome and disputed Florida vote, including:

- the legitimacy of Bush's election;
- if Bush or Gore should have conceded in the Florida dispute, and if Gore would have been considered a legitimate president;
- how Bush, Gore and their campaigns conducted themselves in the Florida vote dispute;
- the Florida Supreme Court ordering a recount (8 Dec 00), the US Supreme Court suspending and reviewing this recount (9 Dec 00) and the US Supreme Court declaring the Florida recount unconstitutional (12 Dec 00);
- the Florida legislature voting to pledge electors to Bush;
- the Electoral College;
- the accuracy with which votes were counted and the extent of problems with voting systems;
- Bush's and Gore's speeches the day after the 26 Nov 00 certification of the Florida vote;
- Gore's 13 Dec 00 concession speech and Bush's address immediately following;
- news coverage of Election Day and the vote dispute;
- the meaning of the close election outcome and the impact of the election outcome and vote dispute on the political system.

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Preferred outcome

cS01

Bush or Gore should be declared president

Who do you think should be declared the winner of the presidential election, George W. Bush or Al Gore? Q414

Nat CS 10 Nov–12 Dec 00

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS02

Would accept Bush as legitimate president

If George W. Bush is declared the winner and is inaugurated next January, would you accept him as the legitimate president or not? Q416a

Nat CS 28 Nov–12 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS03

Would accept Gore as legitimate president

If Al Gore is declared the winner and is inaugurated next January, would you accept him as the legitimate president or not? Q416b

Nat CS 28 Nov–12 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS04

Bush should concede

In your opinion, should George W. Bush concede the election and let Al Gore become president or not? Q415a

Nat CS 28 Nov–12 Dec 00

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS05		
	Gore should concede		
	In your opinion, should Al Gore concede the election and let George W. Bush become president or not? Q415b		
	Nat CS 28 Nov–12 Dec 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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	cS06		
	Should resolve election outcome quickly or remove all reasonable doubt		
	Which do you feel is more important? Getting matters resolved as soon as possible so we know who our next president is, or making sure to remove all reasonable doubt that the vote count has been fair and accurate? Q408		
	Nat CS 11–12 Dec 00		
	1 Resolving matters as soon as possible		
	2 Removing all reasonable doubt		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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	cS07		
	Willing to wait for election outcome to be resolved		
	Which comes closer to your views? You are willing to wait at least a little while longer for a final resolution to the presidential election, or the presidential election situation has gone on too long already? Q431		
	Nat CS 28 Nov–12 Dec 00		
	1 Willing to wait		
	2 Situation has gone on too long		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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Reaction to Bush victory

cS08

Accept Bush as legitimate president

Do you accept George W. Bush as the legitimate president, or don't you feel this way? Q394

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS09

Approve of Gore conceding

Al Gore ended his bid for the presidency and said he would no longer challenge George W. Bush being declared president. Do you strongly approve of Al Gore having done this, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q389

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Somewhat approve
- 3 Somewhat disapprove
- 4 Strongly disapprove
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS10

Gore conceded at right time

Which comes closest to your views? Al Gore should have conceded the election to George W. Bush much sooner than he did; Al Gore conceded at the right time; or Al Gore should not have conceded as soon as he did? Q390

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Should have conceded sooner
- 2 Conceded at right time
- 3 Should not have conceded as soon
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Bush and Gore campaigns				
cS11				
Bush campaign trying to steal election				
Do you feel that the Bush campaign {through 12 Dec 00: is trying starting 13 Dec 00: tried} to steal the election, or don't you feel this way?				
Q433a				
Nat CS 10 Nov 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cS12				
Approve of Bush campaign handling of election outcome				
Would you say that you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush and his campaign advisers {through 12 Dec 00: have} handled the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? Q432a				
Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Approve			
2	Disapprove			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cS13				
Gore campaign trying to steal election				
Do you feel that the Gore campaign {through 12 Dec 00: is trying starting 13 Dec 00: tried} to steal the election, or don't you feel this way?				
Q433b				
Nat CS 10 Nov 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cS14				
Approve of Gore campaign handling of election outcome				
Would you say that you approve or disapprove of the way Al Gore and his campaign advisers {through 12 Dec 00: have} handled the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? Q432b				
Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Approve			
2	Disapprove			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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US Supreme Court				
cS15				
Aware US Supreme Court stopped and reviewing Florida recount				
Are you aware that the US Supreme Court decided to stop the recount of presidential ballots in Florida? Q378, Q384				
Nat CS 11–19 Dec 00				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cS16				
Approve of US Supreme Court stopping and reviewing Florida recount				
Do you strongly approve of the US Supreme Court's decision to stop the Florida recount, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q379, Q385				
Nat CS 11–19 Dec 00				
1	Strongly approve			
2	Somewhat approve			
3	Somewhat disapprove			
4	Strongly disapprove			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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	cS17		
	Would accept US Supreme Court decision on Florida recount as final word		
	If when the Supreme Court rules on whether the Florida recount should proceed, both presidential candidates accept the ruling as the final decision on the presidential election, how likely would you be to also consider it the final decision on the election? Very likely, somewhat likely, not too likely or not at all likely? Q429		
	Nat CS 11–12 Dec 00		
	1 Very likely		
	2 Somewhat likely		
	3 Not too likely		
	4 Not likely		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cS18		
	Partisans would accept US Supreme Court decision on Florida recount as final word		
	How likely do you think strong supporters of both presidential candidates would be to consider the Supreme Court's ruling the final decision on the election? Very likely, somewhat likely, not too likely or not at all likely? Q430		
	Nat CS 11–12 Dec 00		
	1 Very likely		
	2 Somewhat likely		
	3 Not too likely		
	4 Not likely		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cS19		
	Aware US Supreme Court declared Florida recount unconstitutional		
	Are you aware that the US Supreme Court declared the recount of presidential ballots in Florida unconstitutional and said that the recount cannot continue? Q380		
	Nat CS 13–19 Dec 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+

+ cS20

Approve of US Supreme Court declaring Florida recount unconstitutional

Do you strongly approve of the US Supreme Court having done this [declaring the recount of presidential ballots in Florida unconstitutional], somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q381

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Somewhat approve
- 3 Somewhat disapprove
- 4 Strongly disapprove
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

+ cS21

Accept US Supreme Court declaring Florida recount unconstitutional as final word

Do you accept the Supreme Court decision on the Florida recount as the final word on the election, or don't you feel this way? Q383

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

+ cS22

Confident in US Supreme Court to deal fairly with election outcome

How much confidence do you have {through 12 Dec 00: in | starting 13 Dec 00: that} the US Supreme Court {to deal | dealt} fairly with the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? A great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q417a

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS23			
	US Supreme Court influenced by personal views on Florida recount			
	Thinking about the US Supreme Court and its review of the Florida Supreme Court's decision to order a recount of presidential ballots in some counties, overall, do you think the justices on the US Supreme Court {through 12 Dec 00: are being starting 13 Dec 00: were} influenced by their personal political views when deciding this case, or don't you think so? Q418			
	Nat CS 11-19 Dec 00			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS24			
	US Supreme Court acted fairly in declaring Florida recount unconstitutional			
	In your opinion, did the Supreme Court act fairly or unfairly in declaring the Florida recount unconstitutional? Q382			
	Nat CS 13 Dec 00-19 Jan 01			
	1 Fairly			
	2 Unfairly			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	Florida Supreme Court			
	cS25			
	Aware Florida Supreme Court ordered recount			
	Have you heard about the recent Florida Supreme Court ruling ordering recounts of ballots in some Florida counties? Q376			
	Nat CS 8-10 Dec 00			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cS26				
Approve of Florida Supreme Court ordering recount				
Do you strongly approve of this ruling [by the Florida Supreme Court ordering recounts of ballots in some counties], somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q377, Q386				
Nat CS 8–19 Dec 00				
1	Strongly approve			
2	Somewhat approve			
3	Somewhat disapprove			
4	Strongly disapprove			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS27				
Confident in Florida Supreme Court to deal fairly with election outcome				
How much confidence do you have {through 12 Dec 00: in starting 13 Dec 00: that} the Florida Supreme Court {to deal dealt} fairly with the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? A great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q417b				
Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Great deal			
2	Fair amount			
3	Not too much			
4	None			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+

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	cS28		
	Florida Supreme Court changing rules or assuring accurate vote		
	Some people say that by ordering additional recounts, the Florida Supreme Court is changing the rules after the election. Others say that the Supreme Court is just trying to make sure that the vote is accurately represented. Which comes closer to your views? (Follow with) Do you feel strongly about this or not? Q406		
	Nat CS 8–10 Dec 00		
	1 Changing rules, strongly		
	2 Changing rules, not strongly		
	3 Trying to make sure vote accurately represented, not strongly		
	4 Trying to make sure vote accurately represented, strongly		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	Florida legislature		
	cS29		
	Aware Florida legislature planning to choose electors		
	Are you aware that the Florida legislature plans to meet to choose who Florida will send to the Electoral College to vote for president? Q401		
	Nat CS 8–11 Dec 00		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cS30		
	Approve of Florida legislature planning to choose electors		
	Do you strongly approve of the Florida legislature doing this [planning to meet to choose Florida's electors], somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q402		
	Nat CS 8–11 Dec 00		
	1 Strongly approve		
	2 Somewhat approve		
	3 Somewhat disapprove		
	4 Strongly disapprove		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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cS31				
Aware Florida House pledged electors to Bush				
The Florida House of Representatives voted to pledge the state's 25 electoral votes to George W. Bush, although the Florida Senate has not yet taken up the matter. Have you heard about this? Q403				
Nat CS 12 Dec 00				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS32				
Approve of Florida House pledging electors to Bush				
Do you strongly approve of the Florida House doing this [voting to pledge the state's electoral votes to Bush], somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q404				
Nat CS 12 Dec 00				
1	Strongly approve			
2	Somewhat approve			
3	Somewhat disapprove			
4	Strongly disapprove			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS33				
Confident in Florida legislature to deal fairly with election outcome				
How much confidence do you have {through 12 Dec 00: in starting 13 Dec 00: that} the Florida legislature {to deal dealt} fairly with the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? A great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q417d				
Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Great deal			
2	Fair amount			
3	Not too much			
4	None			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+

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	cS34			
	Florida legislature changing rules or assuring accurate vote			
	Some people say that by meeting to choose electors to the Electoral College, the Florida legislature is changing the rules after the election. Others say that the legislature is just trying to make sure that the vote is accurately represented. Which comes closer to your views? (Follow with) Do you feel strongly about this or not? Q407			
	Nat CS 8–10 Dec 00, 12 Dec 00			
	1 Changing rules, strongly			
	2 Changing rules, not strongly			
	3 Trying to make sure vote accurately represented, not strongly			
	4 Trying to make sure vote accurately represented, strongly			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			

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	cS35			
	Florida Supreme Court or legislature should be final word			
	In your opinion, what should be the final word on who is declared the winner in the Florida presidential election? The recount ordered by the Florida Supreme Court or the Florida legislature? (Follow with) Do you feel strongly about this or not? Q405			
	Nat CS 8–10 Dec 00			
	1 Florida Supreme Court, strongly			
	2 Florida Supreme Court, not strongly			
	3 Florida legislature, not strongly			
	4 Florida legislature, strongly			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			

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Electoral College

cS36

Winner of presidential race can lose popular vote

To the best of your knowledge, under the Constitution, is it possible for a person to be elected president without winning the most votes nationwide? Q419

Nat CS 10 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS37

Bush or Gore won popular vote

To the best of your knowledge, did more Americans vote for George W. Bush or Al Gore for president? Q420

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS38

Electoral College should be kept

Presidents are elected by the Electoral College, in which each state gets as many votes as it has members of Congress and can cast all of them for whoever wins in that state. Do you think we should keep the Electoral College, or should we amend the Constitution and elect as president whoever gets the most votes in the whole country? Q421

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Keep Electoral College
- 2 Amend Constitution to elect president by popular vote
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS39		
	Electors should vote by winner in state or popular vote		
	Under the Constitution, the final choice for president is made by the Electoral College. Do you think the people who represent a state in the Electoral College should vote for the candidate who won in that state or vote for the candidate who got the most votes in the whole country? Q423		
	Nat CS 10 Nov–19 Dec 00		
	1 Candidate who won in state		
	2 Candidate who got most votes in country		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cS40		
	Confident in Electoral College to deal fairly with election outcome		
	How much confidence do you have {through 12 Dec 00: in starting 13 Dec 00: that} the Electoral College {to deal dealt} fairly with the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? A great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q417e		
	Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Great deal		
	2 Fair amount		
	3 Not too much		
	4 None		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	Vote count accuracy		
	cS41		
	Presidential votes counted fairly in election		
	Are you confident that the votes in this {through 30 Dec 00: year's starting 2 Jan 01: past} presidential election {through 12 Dec 00: are being starting 13 Dec 00: have been} counted fairly, or don't you feel this way? Q410		
	Nat CS 8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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cS42				
Machine or hand ballot counting more accurate				
As you may know, ballots are being counted by machine and by hand in Florida. Which method do you think is more accurate? To count ballots by machine, by hand, or do you think both methods are equally accurate? Q412				
Nat CS 16 Nov–12 Dec 00				
1	Machine			
2	Hand			
3	Both equally accurate			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS43				
Election officials make counting mistakes				
When election officials count votes, how many mistakes do you think they make? A lot, some, just a few or none? Q413				
Nat CS 14 Nov–12 Dec 00				
1	A lot			
2	Some			
3	Few			
4	None			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS44				
Doubt Bush actually won in Florida				
Do you have any doubts that George W. Bush actually won in Florida, or don't you feel this way? Q411				
Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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	cS45			
	Perfect recount would show Bush or Gore won Florida			
	Let's assume for a minute that there were a way of recounting all the ballots in Florida that would provide a completely accurate total of how many votes were cast. If this were the case, what do you think such a perfect recount would show? Would it definitely show Al Gore the winner, probably show Gore, probably show George W. Bush or definitely show Bush the winner? Q437			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Definitely show Gore			
	2 Probably show Gore			
	3 Probably show Bush			
	4 Definitely show Bush			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cS46			
	Any chance perfect recount would show Gore won Florida			
	Do you think there is any chance it [a perfect Florida recount] would show Al Gore the winner? Q438			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	Asked if believe perfect recount would definitely show Bush won Florida			
	cS45[4]			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS47			
	Would accept Bush as legitimate president if perfect recount showed Gore won Florida			
	If there were an independent, respected recount of the votes in Florida that showed that Al Gore, not George W. Bush, really won the state, would you strongly support Bush remaining president, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or strongly oppose him remaining president? Q439			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Strongly support			
	2 Somewhat support			
	3 Somewhat oppose			
	4 Strongly oppose			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cS48				
Problems with confusing ballots in election				
Do you think that there were major problems in this past election with ballots and voting machines being confusing or difficult to use, minor problems or hardly any problems at all?				
Q424a				
Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Major problems			
2	Minor problems			
3	Hardly any problems			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS49				
Problems with accurate ballot counting in election				
Do you think that there were major problems in this past election with how accurate ballot counting was when the results were very close, minor problems or hardly any problems at all?				
Q424b				
Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Major problems			
2	Minor problems			
3	Hardly any problems			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cS50				
Problems with registration in election				
Do you think that there were major problems in this past election with people being told they were not registered to vote when they really were, minor problems or hardly any problems at all?				
Q424c				
Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Major problems			
2	Minor problems			
3	Hardly any problems			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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	cS51			
	Voters not following instructions explains voting problems in election			
	To what extent do you think voters not reading or following instructions explains the voting problems with this {starting 2 Jan 01: past} year's election? Do you think this is a major reason there were voting problems, a minor reason or not a reason? Q425a			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Major reason			
	2 Minor reason			
	3 Not a reason			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cS52			
	Untrustworthy officials explains voting problems in election			
	To what extent do you think untrustworthy people being in charge of running the elections explains the voting problems with this {starting 2 Jan 01: past} year's election? Do you think this is a major reason there were voting problems, a minor reason or not a reason? Q425b			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Major reason			
	2 Minor reason			
	3 Not a reason			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS53			
	Confident voting problems fixed by next election			
	How confident are you that voting problems will be fixed by the time there is another election? Are you very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident or not at all confident? Q426			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Very confident			
	2 Somewhat confident			
	3 Not too confident			
	4 Not confident			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cS54				
Should give priority to fixing voting problems				
In your opinion, how much priority should we give to finding ways to prevent future elections from having problems like this {starting 2 Jan 01: past} year's? Should we make this a top priority, a high priority, a moderate priority or not a priority? Q427				
Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Top priority			
2	High priority			
3	Moderate priority			
4	Not a priority			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cS55				
Officials will give priority to fixing voting problems				
Do you think elected officials will actually make this [finding ways to prevent future elections from having problems] a top priority, a high priority, a moderate priority or not a priority? Q428				
Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01				
1	Top priority			
2	High priority			
3	Moderate priority			
4	Not a priority			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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Bush and Gore speeches				
cS56				
Watched Bush speech after Florida certification				
Did you happen to see George W. Bush's televised speech after the Florida secretary of state certified him the winner in Florida? Q226				
Nat CS 28 Nov–12 Dec 00				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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	cS57			
	Bush favorability improved by speech after Florida certification			
	Did this speech [by Bush after the Florida secretary of state certified him the winner] make you feel more favorable or less favorable about George W. Bush, or didn't it really have an effect? Q227			
	Nat CS 28 Nov-12 Dec 00			
	Asked if watched speech			
	<i>cS56[1]</i>			
	1 More favorable			
	2 Less favorable			
	3 No effect			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS58			
	Watched Gore speech after Florida certification			
	Did you happen to see Al Gore's televised speech explaining why he planned to challenge the certification of Bush as the winner in Florida? Q228			
	Nat CS 28 Nov-12 Dec 00			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS59			
	Gore favorability improved by speech after Florida certification			
	Did this speech [by Gore explaining his challenge to the Florida vote certification] make you feel more favorable or less favorable about Al Gore, or didn't it really have an effect? Q229			
	Nat CS 28 Nov-12 Dec 00			
	Asked if watched speech			
	<i>cS58[1]</i>			
	1 More favorable			
	2 Less favorable			
	3 No effect			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cS60

Watched Gore concession speech

Al Gore addressed the nation {through 19 Dec 00: Wednesday night | starting 20 Dec 00: the night of 13 December} to concede the election. Did you happen to watch or hear his speech? Q387

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Asked if interviewed after speech

{13 Dec 00: cTIME[>=2115] or cTIME[<=500]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS61

Favorability: Gore concession speech

What is your overall impression of this speech [by Gore to concede]? Very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable? Q388

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Asked if watched speech

cS60[1]

- 1 Very favorable
- 2 Somewhat favorable
- 3 Somewhat unfavorable
- 4 Very unfavorable
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS62

Watched Bush speech after Gore concession

George W. Bush addressed the nation {through 19 Dec 00: Wednesday night | starting 20 Dec 00: the night of 13 December}. Did you happen to watch or hear his speech? Q391

Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

Asked if interviewed after speech

{13 Dec 00: cTIME[>=2215] or cTIME[<=500]}

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS63			
	Favorability: Bush speech after Gore concession			
	What is your overall impression of this speech [by Bush after Gore's concession]? Very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable? Q392			
	Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	Asked if watched speech			
	<i>cS62[1]</i>			
	1 Very favorable			
	2 Somewhat favorable			
	3 Somewhat unfavorable			
	4 Very unfavorable			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS64			
	Bush speech after Gore concession took right first step			
	Do you feel that George W. Bush's speech [after Gore's concession] took the right first step toward bringing the country together after the election, or don't you feel it did this? Q393			
	Nat CS 13 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	Asked if watched speech			
	<i>cS62[1]</i>			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	News coverage			
	cS65		rS65	
	Paid attention to news coverage on day of general election		Paid attention to news coverage on day of general election	
	How closely did you watch the news media coverage on Election Day? Did you pay a great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q278		How closely did you watch the news media coverage on Election Day? Did you pay a great deal of attention, some, not too much or no attention at all? Q278	
	Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00		Elect Reint	
	1 Great deal		1 Great deal	
	2 Some		2 Some	
	3 Not too much		3 Not too much	
	4 None		4 None	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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cS66

Why media miscalled Florida

I have a question about how the news media reported on the results of the presidential election. As you may know, early in the evening on Election Day, the media declared Al Gore the winner in Florida. Later in the night the media reported that George W. Bush won Florida. Finally, the media said the race was too close to call. In your opinion, what best explains why the news media made mistakes in reporting the Florida election results? It was an honest mistake because the race was very close; it was because the media were careless and reported results before knowing for sure who won; or it was because reporters in the media personally wanted Al Gore to win? Q279

Nat CS 8 Nov–19 Dec 00

Asked if watched news coverage on day of general election

cS65[1-3]

- 1 Honest mistake
- 2 Media were careless
- 3 Reporters wanted Gore to win
- 4 Verbatim (cS66\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS67

Paid attention to news about election outcome

How closely {through 19 Dec 00: have you been following | starting 20 Dec 00: did you follow} the news about the controversy concerning the outcome of the presidential election? Very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely or not at all closely? Q434

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Very closely
- 2 Somewhat closely
- 3 Not too closely
- 4 Not closely
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS68			
	Approve of news coverage about election outcome			
	Would you say you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove of the way the news media {through 19 Dec 00: have} handled the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? Q435			
	Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Strongly approve			
	2 Somewhat approve			
	3 Somewhat disapprove			
	4 Strongly disapprove			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cS69			
	News coverage about election outcome biased			
	Thinking about the news media's coverage of the situation surrounding the results of the election for president, do you feel it has been biased in favor of George W. Bush, biased in favor of Al Gore or not biased toward either candidate? Q436			
	Nat CS 28 Nov–19 Dec 00			
	1 Bush			
	2 Gore			
	3 Neither			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS70		rS70	
	Saw general election results before voted		Saw general election results before voted	
	Before you voted [in the general election], had you seen any news reports of the election results in other states? Q314		Before you voted [in the general election], had you seen any news reports of the election results in other states? Q314	
	Nat CS 8 Nov–13 Dec 00		Elect Reint	
	Asked if did not early vote in general election cR36[2]		Asked if did not early vote in general election rR36[2]	
	1 Yes		1 Yes	
	2 No		2 No	
	998 Don't know		998 Don't know	
	999 No answer		999 No answer	
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cS71

Seeing general election results before voting affected turnout

Did seeing other states' election results [before you voted in the general election] make you more likely to vote, or didn't it make a difference? Q315

Nat CS 8 Nov-13 Dec 00

Asked if saw general election results before voted
cS70[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cS72

Seeing general election results before voting affected vote choice

Did seeing other states' election results [before you voted in the general election] change who you decided to vote for? Q316

Nat CS 8 Nov-13 Dec 00

Asked if saw general election results before voted
cS70[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cS73

Bush or Gore declared winner when went to bed on Election Day

When you went to bed on Election Day, who had you heard won the presidency? George W. Bush or Al Gore, or did you go to bed hearing the race was too close to call? Q422

Nat CS 29 Nov-19 Dec 00

- 1 Bush
- 2 Gore
- 3 Too close to call
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rS71

Seeing general election results before voting affected turnout

Did seeing other states' election results [before you voted in the general election] make you more likely to vote, or didn't it make a difference? Q315

Elect Reint

Asked if saw general election results before voted
rS70[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rS72

Seeing general election results before voting affected vote choice

Did seeing other states' election results [before you voted in the general election] change who you decided to vote for? Q316

Elect Reint

Asked if saw general election results before voted
rS70[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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US Congress, Florida election commissions

cS74

Confident in US Congress to deal fairly with election outcome

How much confidence do you have {through 12 Dec 00: in | starting 13 Dec 00: that} the US Congress {to deal | dealt} fairly with the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? A great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q417c

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cS75

Confident in Florida election commissions to deal fairly with election outcome

How much confidence do you have {through 12 Dec 00: in | starting 13 Dec 00: that} the election commissions in Florida that {are counting | counted} the vote {to deal | dealt} fairly with the situation surrounding the results of the election for president? A great deal, a fair amount, not too much or none at all? Q417f

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 None
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Meaning of election outcome

cS76

Election shows democracy not working in US

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree:
This {through 30 Dec 00: year's | starting 2 Jan 01: past} presidential election shows that democracy is not working well in America.
Q409e

Nat CS 8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS77

Election shows every vote counts

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree:
This {through 30 Dec 00: year's | starting 2 Jan 01: past} presidential election shows that every vote can make a difference. Q409f

Nat CS 8 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cS78

Election permanently harmed US

Please tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree:
There has been permanent harm done to the United States as a result of the election process this {starting 2 Jan 01: past} year. Q409g

Nat CS 28 Nov 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS79			
	Election outcome makes it easier for Bush to succeed			
	Do you think that the controversy surrounding the presidential election made it easier for President-elect Bush to be successful, made it more difficult or not had much of an effect? (Follow with) Did it make it a great deal or somewhat (easier more difficult)? Q396			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Great deal easier			
	2 Somewhat easier			
	3 Somewhat more difficult			
	4 Great deal more difficult			
	5 No effect			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS80			
	Public will quickly move on from election outcome			
	Which comes closer to your views? Rather quickly, the American public will be able to put any bitterness from the election behind them, or it will take a long time for the American public to recover from the ill will surrounding the election? Q397			
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Quickly			
	2 Long time			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cS81			
	GOP will quickly move on from election outcome			
	Thinking about the Republicans in Washington which comes closer to your views? Rather quickly, the Republicans will be able to put any bitterness from the election behind them, or it will take a long time for the Republicans to recover from the ill will surrounding the election? Q400a			
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01			
	1 Quickly			
	2 Long time			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cS82

Democrats will quickly move on from election outcome

Thinking about the Democrats in Washington which comes closer to your views? Rather quickly, the Democrats will be able to put any bitterness from the election behind them, or it will take a long time for the Democrats to recover from the ill will surrounding the election? Q400b

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Quickly
- 2 Long time
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cS83

Close presidential election means Americans deeply divided or did not feel strongly about Bush and Gore

This {through 30 Dec 00: year's | starting 2 Jan 01: past} presidential election was among the closest in history. What do you think this means? Does it mean that Americans were deeply divided over whether they wanted George W. Bush or Al Gore to be president, or does it mean that Americans didn't feel particularly strongly about either Bush or Gore? Q398

Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Deeply divided over Bush and Gore
- 2 Did not feel strongly about Bush or Gore
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cS84			
	Closely divided Congress makes it easier to get things done			
	As you may know, Congress is almost evenly divided between the Republicans and Democrats. What do you think this means for politics in the next year? Does it mean that it will be easier for things to get done, because members of Congress know they have to cooperate because neither party has a majority; does it mean that it will be very difficult for things to get done, because Republicans and Democrats will disagree constantly; or don't you think this means Congress will be much different than usual? Q399			
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00-19 Jan 01			
	1 Easier to get things done			
	2 Very difficult to get things done			
	3 No different			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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For a summary of all variables in this section,
see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-35.

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cT01**Bush will succeed getting proposals passed**

How successful do you think President-elect Bush will be at getting Congress to pass the proposals he promised during the campaign? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q395b

Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Very successful
- 2 Somewhat successful
- 3 Not too successful
- 4 Not successful
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cT02**Bush will succeed building public support for proposals**

How successful do you think President-elect Bush will be at building public support for what he wants to accomplish while in office? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q395c

Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Very successful
- 2 Somewhat successful
- 3 Not too successful
- 4 Not successful
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cT03**Bush will keep promise on taxes**

During the campaign, George W. Bush promised to cut taxes across the board for all taxpayers. Do you think President-elect Bush will keep his promise, or don't you think he will keep his promise? Q128

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cT04		
	Bush will succeed getting tax cut passed		
	How successful do you think George W. Bush will be in actually getting an across the board tax cut passed in Congress? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q129		
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Very successful		
	2 Somewhat successful		
	3 Not too successful		
	4 Not successful		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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	cT05		
	Bush will keep promise on school vouchers		
	During the campaign, George W. Bush promised he would support giving tax credits or vouchers to parents to choose which school to send their children to. Do you think President-elect Bush will keep his promise, or don't you think he will keep his promise? Q133		
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Yes		
	2 No		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cT06		
	Bush will succeed getting school vouchers passed		
	How successful do you think George W. Bush will be in actually getting Congress to pass a school voucher program? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q134		
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Very successful		
	2 Somewhat successful		
	3 Not too successful		
	4 Not successful		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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+ cT07

Bush will succeed getting abortion laws passed

How successful do you think George W. Bush will be in getting Congress to pass the laws he wants regarding abortion? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q131

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Very successful
- 2 Somewhat successful
- 3 Not too successful
- 4 Not successful
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

+ cT08

Bush will succeed representing US abroad

How successful do you think President-elect Bush will be at representing the US to foreign leaders? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q395f

Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Very successful
- 2 Somewhat successful
- 3 Not too successful
- 4 Not successful
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

+ cT09

Bush will succeed working with GOP

How successful do you think President-elect Bush will be at working with Republicans? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q395d

Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Very successful
- 2 Somewhat successful
- 3 Not too successful
- 4 Not successful
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cT10		
	Bush will succeed working with Democrats		
	How successful do you think President-elect Bush will be at working with Democrats? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q395e		
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Very successful		
	2 Somewhat successful		
	3 Not too successful		
	4 Not successful		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cT11		
	Bush will succeed bringing country together		
	How successful do you think President-elect Bush will be at bringing the country together after the bitterness of the election? Very successful, somewhat successful, not too successful or not at all successful? Q395a		
	Nat CS 14 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Very successful		
	2 Somewhat successful		
	3 Not too successful		
	4 Not successful		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
+		+	+
	cT12		
	Approve of Bush transition		
	Generally speaking, do you strongly approve of the job George W. Bush has done in creating a transition to a new presidency and administration, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q125		
	Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01		
	1 Strongly approve		
	2 Somewhat approve		
	3 Somewhat disapprove		
	4 Strongly disapprove		
	998 Don't know		
	999 No answer		
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cT13

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Approve of Bush appointees

From what you have heard or read, do you strongly approve of the choices President-elect Bush is making for top officials in his new administration, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove? Q126

Nat CS 20 Dec 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Somewhat approve
- 3 Somewhat disapprove
- 4 Strongly disapprove
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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In this section are questions about US House and Senate incumbents and candidates, including name recall, favorability and intended and actual voting in the general election for US representative and senator.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-35:

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Notes on variables in this section

Questioning regarding US House and Senate incumbents and candidates was tailored based on:

- state (ST; see section 0);
- Congressional district (U01; see estimation of Congressional district below);
- if the respondent was interviewed before or after their state's Congressional primary election (U02; see Congressional primary election status below);
- the configuration of major general election candidates for US representative in the respondent's Congressional district (U03–U07; see configuration of major general election candidates below);
- the configuration of major general election candidates for US senator in the respondent's state (U17–U21; see candidate configuration below).

Estimation of Congressional district

Congressional district (U01) is an estimate calculated by the provider of the sample, Survey Sampling Inc., based on the respondent's phone number.

Congressional primary election status

U02 records if the respondent was interviewed pre- or post-Congressional primary election:

- Respondents interviewed before the day of their state's Congressional primary election

are classified interviewed pre-Congressional primary election (U02[1]).

- Those interviewed after their state's primary election are classified interviewed post-primary (U02[2]).
- Respondents interviewed on the day of the election are classified Congressional primary status undesignated (U02[4]).
- DC residents are classified no Congressional primary (U02[3]).

See page R-7 for Congressional primary dates. See also special cases below.

Configuration of major general election candidates

U03 indicates if the respondent is living in a Congressional district where the incumbent US representative is running for re-election or retiring. U05 indicates the number of major challenging candidates running in the general election for US representative. When there are two challenging candidates, the challengers are ordered alphabetically by last name. U04, U06 and U07 indicate the party of US House incumbents and candidates. U16 indicates if the incumbent, first major challenger or second major challenger won the seat.

The US House configuration recorded for a respondent is derived from estimated Congressional district (see above). See page U-17 for US House incumbents and candidates.

U17 indicates if the respondent is living in a state where an incumbent US senator is running for re-election or retiring, or where no Senate seat is up for election. U19 indicates the number of major challenging candidates running in the general election for US senator. When there are two challenging candidates, the challengers are ordered alphabetically by last name. U18, U20 and U21 indicate the party of US Senate candidates. U29 indicates if the incumbent, first major challenger or second major challenger won the seat.

See page U-36 for US Senate incumbents and candidates.

See also special cases below.

Name recall and favorability

Respondents were asked to recall the names and rate the favorability of US House and Senate incumbents and major general election

candidates. The line of questioning differed by if the respondent was interviewed pre- or post-Congressional primary:

- **Respondents interviewed pre-Congressional primary election** were asked to recall the name of their incumbent US representative (U08) and rate this official's favorability (incumbent running for re-election, U10; incumbent retiring, U11). Respondents were asked to recall the names of their incumbent US senators (U22) and, if living in a state with an incumbent senator running for re-election, rate this official's favorability (U24).
- **Respondents interviewed post-Congressional primary election** were asked to recall the names of the major candidates running in the general election for US representative (U09). Those living in a state with a Senate race were asked to recall the names of the major general election candidates running for US senator (U23).
- **Starting 27 Sep**, in addition to the above, respondents living in a state with a Senate race were asked to rate the favorability of the major general election candidates for US Senate (incumbent candidate, U24; challengers U25–U25).
- **Starting 6 Oct**, in addition to the above, respondents were asked to rate the favorability of the major general election candidates for US representative (incumbent candidate, U10; challengers, U12–U13).

The figure on page U-4 summarizes the line of questioning for name recall and favorability.

Intended and actual voting in Congressional general election

Respondents were asked about voting in the general election for US House and Senate. Note that some of this line of questioning includes questions recorded in section R. In particular, see intention to vote in the general election (R30) and actual voting in the general election (R34).

- **Before the general election** (through 6 Nov 00), respondents not living in DC were asked which US representative candidate they would vote for in the general election (U14). Those living in a state with a Senate race were asked which US Senate candidate they would vote for in the general election (U27). In both cases, if respondents could not

provide a name, they were asked generically if they would vote for the Republican or Democrat. Note that respondents were first asked who they would vote for, then if they intended to vote (see R30).

- **Starting 2 Oct**, in addition to the above, respondents were first asked if they had early voted in the general election. If yes, they were asked instead about their voting (U15, U28; see post-election questioning below).
- **After the general election** (starting 8 Nov 00), respondents not living in DC who voted in the general election (see R34) were asked which US representative candidate they voted for (U15). Those living in a state with a Senate race who voted in the general election were asked which US Senate candidate they voted for (U28). In both cases, if respondents could not provide a name, they were asked generically if they voted for the Republican or Democrat.

See also the figure on page R-6.

Special cases

- **Lieberman favorability** Favorability of Joe Lieberman is recorded in two variables: A49, representing Lieberman the vice presidential candidate, and U24, representing Lieberman the incumbent US senator running for re-election. Both of these variables are subsets of the same data, collected with one question. See also section A.
- **LA Congressional primary election** LA did not hold a Congressional primary election separate from the 7 Nov 00 general election. In each of LA's seven Congressional districts, the incumbent ran against numerous challengers. LA districts are classified as incumbent candidate for US representative (U03) and an undesignated number of major general election challenging candidates (U05)
- **Paul Coverdell and Zell Miller (GA US Senate race)** In mid July, GA US Senator Paul Coverdell died. Prior to his death, neither of GA's US Senate seats was up for re-election, but when Zell Miller was appointed to replace Coverdell through the end of the Congressional session, a special election for the seat was called for November 2000. Starting 26 Sep, GA was reclassified from a state with no US Senate race to a state with

an incumbent running for re-election against one major challenger (U17, U19).

- **Mel Carnahan (MO US Senate race)** In the MO US senator race, the major general election candidates were John Ashcroft, the incumbent, and Mel Carnahan, the challenger. In mid October, Carnahan died. Although he went on to win the election posthumously, and his seat was assumed by his wife Jean Carnahan, starting 17 Oct MO was reclassified from a state with one major general election challenging candidate for US senator to a state with none (U19). However, Mel Carnahan was still accepted as an open-ended response for U23 (recall of US Senate candidates) and U27–U28 (voting for US senator).

Data collection errors

- **cU09** For the national cross-section study 9–13 Aug, cU09 was inadvertently not measured for CO residents. These cases are coded 999.
- **cU12** For the national cross-section study cU12 was inadvertently not measured for the following Congressional districts: AL-07 (Ed Martin), AR-01 (Susan Myshka), AZ-03 (Gene Scharer), FL-23 (Bill Lambert), NY-16 (Aaron Justice), VA-09 (Michael Osborne). These cases are coded 999.
- **cU24** For the national cross-section study 29 Feb–3 Apr, cU24 was inadvertently not measured for RI residents. These cases are coded 999.

Name recall and favorability of US House and Senate incumbents and candidates

Name recall		Favorability	
Interviewed pre-Congressional primary election	Interviewed post-Congressional primary election	Pre-primary	Post-primary

US House

Retiring incumbent	U08		U11	
Incumbent running for re-election			U10	U10**
Major general election challenging candidates		U09		U12-U13**

US Senate

Incumbent(s) not up for re-election	U22			
Retiring incumbent				
Incumbent running for re-election			U24	U24*
Major general election challenging candidates		U23		U25-U26*

* starting 27 Sep; ** starting 6 Oct

<div>+</div> <div>cU01⊗</div> <div>Congressional district</div> <div>Q1</div> <div>Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS</div> <div>Range 1-52</div> <div>999 No data</div>	<div>+</div> <div>rU01⊗</div> <div>Congressional district</div> <div>Q1</div> <div>Elect Reint</div> <div>Range 1-52</div> <div>999 No data</div>	<div>+</div> <div>U-5</div>
<div>+</div> <div>cU02</div> <div>Congressional primary election status</div> <div>Q15</div> <div>Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS</div> <div>1 Interviewed pre-Congressional primary election</div> <div>2 Interviewed post-Congressional primary election</div> <div>3 No Congressional primary election (DC)</div> <div>4 Undesignated (interviewed on day of election)</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div> <div>rU02</div> <div>Congressional primary election status</div> <div>Q15</div> <div>IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint</div> <div>1 Interviewed pre-Congressional primary election</div> <div>2 Interviewed post-Congressional primary election</div> <div>3 No Congressional primary election (DC)</div> <div>4 Undesignated (interviewed on day of election)</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div>
<div>US House</div> <div>cU03</div> <div>Incumbent US representative running for re-election</div> <div>Q16</div> <div>Nat CS</div> <div>1 Running for re-election</div> <div>2 Retiring</div> <div>3 No US representative (DC)</div> <div>999 Congressional district undesignated</div> <div>+</div>	<div>rU03</div> <div>Incumbent US representative running for re-election</div> <div>Q16</div> <div>Elect Reint</div> <div>1 Running for re-election</div> <div>2 Retiring</div> <div>3 No US representative (DC)</div> <div>999 Congressional district undesignated</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div>
<div>cU04</div> <div>Party of incumbent US representative</div> <div>Q17</div> <div>Nat CS</div> <div>1 Republican</div> <div>2 Democrat</div> <div>3 Other</div> <div>4 No US representative (DC)</div> <div>999 Congressional district undesignated</div> <div>+</div>	<div>rU04</div> <div>Party of incumbent US representative</div> <div>Q17</div> <div>Elect Reint</div> <div>1 Republican</div> <div>2 Democrat</div> <div>3 Other</div> <div>4 No US representative (DC)</div> <div>999 Congressional district undesignated</div> <div>+</div>	<div>+</div>

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cU05**Major general election challenging candidates for US representative**

Q18

Nat CS 6 Oct 00–19 Jan 01

- 0 Only incumbent running
- 1 One challenger
- 2 Two challengers
- 3 No US representative (DC)
- 4 Undesignated (LA)
- 999 Congressional district undesignated

+

cU06**Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US representative**

Q19

Nat CS 6 Oct 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 No challenging candidates
- 999 Congressional district undesignated

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cU07**Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US representative**

Q20

Nat CS 6 Oct 00–19 Jan 01

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 No second challenging candidate
- 999 Congressional district undesignated

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cU08**Open-ended recall: incumbent US representative**

Do you happen to remember the name of the member of Congress, that is, House of Representatives in Washington, who represents your district? (If yes) Who is your representative?
Q39

Nat CS 29 Feb–6 Nov 00

Asked if interviewed pre-Congressional primary election

cU02[1]

- 1 Verbatim (cU08\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rU05**Major general election challenging candidates for US representative**

Q18

Elect Reint

- 0 Only incumbent running
- 1 One challenger
- 2 Two challengers
- 3 No US representative (DC)
- 4 Undesignated (LA)
- 999 Congressional district undesignated

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rU06**Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US representative**

Q19

Elect Reint

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 No challenging candidates
- 999 Congressional district undesignated

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rU07**Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US representative**

Q20

Elect Reint

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Other
- 4 No second challenging candidate
- 999 Congressional district undesignated

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cU09

Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US representative

Do you happen to remember the names of the candidates for Congress, that is, House of Representatives in Washington, who {through 6 Nov 00: are running | starting 8 Nov 00: ran} in the November election from this district? (If yes) Who are they? Q40

Nat CS 4 Apr-27 Nov 00

Asked if interviewed post-Congressional primary election

cU02[2]

1 Verbatim (cU09\$)
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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cU10

Favorability: incumbent candidate for US representative

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: incumbent candidate for US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43an, Q44bn

Nat CS 7 Mar-12 Dec 00

Asked if live in Congressional district with incumbent candidate for US representative {through 5 Oct: and interviewed pre-Congressional primary election}

cU03[1] and {through 5 Oct: cU02[1]}

Range 0-100
101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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rU09

Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US representative

Do you happen to remember the names of the candidates for Congress, that is, House of Representatives in Washington, who ran in the November election from this district? (If yes) Who are they? Q40

Elect Reint

Asked if do not live in DC

not rST['DC']

1 Verbatim (rU09\$)
998 Don't know
999 No answer

+

rU10

Favorability: incumbent candidate for US representative

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: incumbent candidate for US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44bn

Elect Reint

Asked if live in Congressional district with incumbent candidate for US representative

rU03[1]

Range 0-100
101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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U-7

+ + +

cU11
Favorability: retiring US representative

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: retiring US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43an

Nat CS 7 Mar-18 Sep

Asked if live in Congressional district with retiring US representative and interviewed pre-Congressional primary election

cU03[2] and cU02[1]

- Range 0-100
101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

+ + +

cU12
Favorability: first major general election challenging candidate for US representative

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: first major general election challenging candidate for US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44bn, Q44bo

Nat CS 6 Oct-12 Dec 00

Asked if live in Congressional district with one or more major general election challenging candidates for US representative

cU05[1-2]

- Range 0-100
101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rU12
Favorability: first major general election challenging candidate for US representative

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: first major general election challenging candidate for US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44bn, Q44bo

Elect Reint

Asked if live in Congressional district with one or more major general election challenging candidates for US representative

rU05[1-2]

- Range 0-100
101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

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cU13**Favorability: second major general election challenging candidate for US representative**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: second major general election challenging candidate for US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44bo, Q44bp

Nat CS 6 Oct-12 Dec 00

Asked if live in Congressional district with two major general election challenging candidates for US representative

cU05[2]

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

rU13**Favorability: second major general election challenging candidate for US representative**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by Congressional district: second major general election challenging candidate for US representative)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44bo, Q44bp

Elect Reint

Asked if live in Congressional district with two major general election challenging candidates for US representative

rU05[2]

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name
102 Cannot rate
999 No answer

cU14**Intended general election ballot for US representative**

In November you will be able to vote for a member of Congress, that is the US House of Representatives in Washington. If you voted today in the election for your representative, who do you think you would vote for? (If don't know) Would you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q356

Nat CS 4 Apr-6 Nov 00

Asked if do not live in DC {starting 2 Oct: and did not early vote in general election}

(not *cST['DC']*) and {starting 2 Oct: *cR34[2-999]*}

1 Verbatim (cU14\$)
2 Generic Republican
3 Generic Democrat
4 Would not vote for US representative
998 Don't know
999 No answer

rU14**Intended general election ballot for US representative**

In November you will be able to vote for a member of Congress, that is the US House of Representatives in Washington. If you voted today in the election for your representative, who do you think you would vote for? (If don't know) Would you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q356

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

Asked if do not live in DC

not rST['DC']

1 Verbatim (rU14\$)
2 Generic Republican
3 Generic Democrat
4 Would not vote for US representative
998 Don't know
999 No answer

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rU15

General election ballot for US representative

You were able to vote [in the general election] for a member of Congress, that is the US House of Representatives in Washington. Who did you vote for? (If don't know) Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q307

Elect Reint

Asked if voted in general election and do not live in DC
rR34[1] and not (*rST[DC']*)

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|-----|------------------------------------|
| 1 | Verbatim (rU15\$) |
| 2 | Generic Republican |
| 3 | Generic Democrat |
| 4 | Did not vote for US representative |
| 998 | Don't know |
| 999 | No answer |

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rU16

Winning candidate for US representative

Q21

Elect Reint

- | | |
|-----|--|
| 1 | Incumbent |
| 2 | First major general election challenger |
| 3 | Second major general election challenger |
| 4 | No US representative (DC) |
| 999 | Congressional district undesignated |

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rU17

Incumbent US senator running for re-election

Incumbent US senator running for re-election

Q22

GOP Conv Reint: Dem Conv Reint: Elect Reint

- 1 Running for re-election
- 2 Retiring
- 3 No US Senate race

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rU18

Party of incumbent candidate for US senator

Q23

Elect Reint

- 1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Other
4 No incumbent candidate

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	cU19	
	Major general election challenging candidates for US senator	
	Q24	
	Nat CS 27 Sep 00–19 Jan 01	
	0 Only incumbent running	
	1 One challenger	
	2 Two challengers	
	3 No US Senate race	
+		
	cU20	
	Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US senator	
	Q25	
	Nat CS 27 Sep 00–19 Jan 01	
	1 Republican	
	2 Democrat	
	3 Other	
	4 No challenging candidates	
+		
	cU21	
	Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US senator	
	Q26	
	Nat CS 27 Sep 00–19 Jan 01	
	1 Republican	
	2 Democrat	
	3 Other	
	4 No second challenging candidate	
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	rU19	
	Major general election challenging candidates for US senator	
	Q24	
	Elect Reint	
	0 Only incumbent running	
	1 One challenger	
	2 Two challengers	
	3 No US Senate race	
+		+
	rU20	
	Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US senator	
	Q25	
	Elect Reint	
	1 Republican	
	2 Democrat	
	3 Other	
	4 No challenging candidates	
+		+
	rU21	
	Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US senator	
	Q26	
	Elect Reint	
	1 Republican	
	2 Democrat	
	3 Other	
	4 No second challenging candidate	
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cU22 (cU22.1 ... cU22.2)**Open-ended recall: incumbent US senators**

Your state's US senators in Washington—do you happen to remember their names? (If yes) What are their names? Q41

Nat CS 29 Feb–6 Nov 00

Asked if interviewed pre-Congressional primary election

cU02[1]

Up to 2 mentions recorded

- 1 (AL) Jeff Sessions
- 2 (AL) Richard Shelby
- 3 (AR) Tim Hutchinson
- 4 (AR) Blanche Lincoln
- 5 (AZ) Jon Kyl
- 6 (AZ) John McCain
- 7 (CA) Barbara Boxer
- 8 (CA) Dianne Feinstein
- 9 (CO) Wayne Allard
- 10 (CO) Ben Nighthorse Campbell
- 11 (CT) Christopher Dodd
- 12 (CT) Joe Lieberman
- 13 (DE) Joseph Biden
- 14 (DE) William Roth
- 15 (FL) Bob Graham
- 16 (FL) Connie Mack
- 17 (GA) Max Cleland
- 18 (GA) {through 24 Jul: Paul Coverdell |
starting 25 Jul: Zell Miller}
- 19 (IA) Chuck Grassley
- 20 (IA) Tom Harkin
- 21 (ID) Larry Craig
- 22 (ID) Mike Crapo
- 23 (IL) Richard Durbin
- 24 (IL) Peter Fitzgerald
- 25 (IN) Evan Bayh
- 26 (IN) Richard Lugar
- 27 (KS) Sam Brownback
- 28 (KS) Pat Roberts
- 29 (KY) Jim Bunning
- 30 (KY) Mitch McConnell
- 31 (LA) John Breaux
- 32 (LA) Mary Landrieu
- 33 (MA) Edward Kennedy
- 34 (MA) John Kerry
- 35 (MD) Barbara Mikulski
- 36 (MD) Paul Sarbanes
- 37 (ME) Susan Collins
- 38 (ME) Olympia Snowe
- 39 (MI) Spencer Abraham
- 40 (MI) Carl Levin
- 41 (MN) Rod Grams
- 42 (MN) Paul Wellstone
- 43 (MO) John Ashcroft
- 44 (MO) Christopher Bond
- 45 (MS) Thad Cochran

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46	(MS) Trent Lott			
47	(MT) Max Baucus			
48	(MT) Conrad Burns			
49	(NC) John Edwards			
50	(NC) Jesse Helms			
51	(ND) Kent Conrad			
52	(ND) Byron Dorgan			
53	(NE) Charles Hagel			
54	(NE) Robert Kerrey			
55	(NH) Judd Gregg			
56	(NH) Bob Smith			
57	(NJ) Frank Lautenberg			
58	(NJ) Robert Torricelli			
59	(NM) Jeff Bingaman			
60	(NM) Pete Domenici			
61	(NV) Richard Bryan			
62	(NV) Harry Reid			
63	(NY) Daniel Moynihan			
64	(NY) Charles Schumer			
65	(OH) Mike DeWine			
66	(OH) George Voinovich			
67	(OK) James Inhofe			
68	(OK) Don Nickles			
69	(OR) Gordon Smith			
70	(OR) Ron Wyden			
71	(PA) Rick Santorum			
72	(PA) Arlen Specter			
73	(RI) Lincoln Chafee			
74	(RI) Jack Reed			
75	(SC) Ernest Hollings			
76	(SC) Strom Thurmond			
77	(SD) Thomas Daschle			
78	(SD) Tim Johnson			
79	(TN) Bill Frist			
80	(TN) Fred Thompson			
81	(TX) Phil Gramm			
82	(TX) Kay Bailey Hutchison			
83	(UT) Robert Bennett			
84	(UT) Orrin Hatch			
85	(VA) Charles Robb			
86	(VA) John Warner			
87	(VT) James Jeffords			
88	(VT) Patrick Leahy			
89	(WA) Slade Gorton			
90	(WA) Patty Murray			
91	(WI) Russell Feingold			
92	(WI) Herb Kohl			
93	(WV) Robert Byrd			
94	(WV) John Rockefeller			
95	(WY) Mike Enzi			
96	(WY) Craig Thomas			
97	Verbatim (cU22\$)			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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rU23

Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US senator

Do you happen to remember the names of the candidates for the US Senate in Washington who ran in the November election from this state? (If yes) Who are they? Q42

Elect Reint

Asked if live in state with US Senate race
rU17[1-2]

1	Verbatim (rU23\$)
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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rU24

Favorability: incumbent candidate for US senator

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate (variable by state: incumbent candidate for US senator)? Zero means very unfavorable, and 100 means very favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q43, Q44

Elect Reint

Asked if live in state with incumbent candidate for US senator

Range 0-100

101	Do not recognize name
102	Cannot rate
999	No answer

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cU25

**Favorability: first major general election
challenging candidate for US senator**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate
(variable by state: first major general election
challenging candidate for US senator)? Zero
means very unfavorable, and 100 means very
favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable
or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about
the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44

Nat CS 27 Sep–12 Dec 00

Asked if live in state with one or more major general
election challenging candidates for US senator

cU19[1-2]

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name

102 Cannot rate

999 No answer

+

cU26

**Favorability: second major general election
challenging candidate for US senator**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate
(variable by state: second major general election
challenging candidate for US senator)? Zero
means very unfavorable, and 100 means very
favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable
or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about
the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44

Nat CS 27 Sep–12 Dec 00

Asked if live in state with two major general election
challenging candidates for US senator

cU19[2]

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name

102 Cannot rate

999 No answer

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+

rU25

**Favorability: first major general election
challenging candidate for US senator**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate
(variable by state: first major general election
challenging candidate for US senator)? Zero
means very unfavorable, and 100 means very
favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable
or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about
the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44

Elect Reint

Asked if live in state with one or more major general
election challenging candidates for US senator

rU19[1-2]

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name

102 Cannot rate

999 No answer

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rU26

**Favorability: second major general election
challenging candidate for US senator**

On a scale of zero to 100, how would you rate
(variable by state: second major general election
challenging candidate for US senator)? Zero
means very unfavorable, and 100 means very
favorable. Fifty means you do not feel favorable
or unfavorable. If you don't know enough about
the person to rate him or her, just tell me. Q44

Elect Reint

Asked if live in state with two major general election
challenging candidates for US senator

rU19[2]

Range 0-100

101 Do not recognize name

102 Cannot rate

999 No answer

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U-15

U-16	+	cU27 Intended general election ballot for US senator If you voted today in the [general] election for your US senator, who do you think you would vote for? (If don't know) Would you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q357 Nat CS 4 Apr-6 Nov 00 Asked if live in state with US Senate race {starting 2 Oct: and did not early vote in general election} <i>cU17[1-2]</i> and {starting 2 Oct: <i>cR34[2-999]</i> }	+	+	rU27 Intended general election ballot for US senator If you voted today in the [general] election for your US senator, who do you think you would vote for? (If don't know) Would you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q357 GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint Asked if live in state with US Senate race <i>rU17[1-2]</i>
		1 Verbatim (cU27\$) 2 Generic Republican 3 Generic Democrat 4 Would not vote for US senator 998 Don't know 999 No answer			1 Verbatim (rU27\$) 2 Generic Republican 3 Generic Democrat 4 Would not vote for US senator 998 Don't know 999 No answer
		+			+
	+	cU28 General election ballot for US senator You were able to vote [in the general election] for your US senator. Did you vote for (variable by state: major general election candidates for US senator) or someone else? (If don't know) Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q308 Nat CS 8 Nov-13 Dec 00 Asked if voted in general election and live in state with US Senate race <i>cR34[1]</i> and <i>cU17[1-2]</i>	+	+	rU28 General election ballot for US senator You were able to vote [in the general election] for your US senator. Did you vote for (variable by state: major general election candidates for US senator) or someone else? (If don't know) Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat? Q308 Elect Reint Asked if voted in general election and live in state with US Senate race <i>rR34[1]</i> and <i>rU17[1-2]</i>
		1 Named Republican candidate 2 Named Democratic candidate 3 Named Libertarian candidate (AZ) 4 Generic Republican 5 Generic Democrat 6 Other 7 Did not vote for US senator 998 Don't know 999 No answer			1 Named Republican candidate 2 Named Democratic candidate 3 Named Libertarian candidate (AZ) 4 Generic Republican 5 Generic Democrat 6 Other 7 Did not vote for US senator 998 Don't know 999 No answer
		+			+
	+	cU29 Winning candidate for US senator Q27 Nat CS 8 Nov 00-19 Jan 01	+	+	rU29 Winning candidate for US senator Q27 Elect Reint
		1 Incumbent 2 First major general election challenger 3 Second major general election challenger 4 No US Senate race			1 Incumbent 2 First major general election challenger 3 Second major general election challenger 4 No US Senate race
		+			+

US House incumbents and general election candidates

Congressional district	Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
		* = winner		
AL-01		Callahan, Sonny (R)*		
AL-02		Everett, Terry (R)*	Woods, Charles (D)	
AL-03		Riley, Bob (R)*		
AL-04		Aderholt, Robert (R)*	Folsom, Marsha (D)	
AL-05		Cramer, Bud (D)*		
AL-06		Bachus, Spencer (R)*		
AL-07		Hilliard, Earl F. (D)*	Martin, Ed (R)	
AR-01		Berry, Marion (D)*	Myshka, Susan (R)	
AR-02		Snyder, Vic (D)*	Thomas, Bob (R)	
AR-03		Hutchinson, Asa (R)*		
AR-04		Dickey, Jay (R)	Ross, Mike (D)*	
AZ-01	Salmon, Matt (R)		Flake, Jeff (R)*	Mendoza, David (D)
AZ-02		Pastor, Ed (D)*	Barenholtz, Bill (R)	
AZ-03		Stump, Bob (R)*	Scharer, Gene (D)	
AZ-04		Shadegg, John (R)*	Jankowski, Ben (D)	
AZ-05		Kolbe, Jim (R)*	Cunningham, George (D)	
AZ-06		Hayworth, J.D. (R)*	Nelson, Larry (D)	
CA-01		Thompson, Mike (D)*	Chase, Russel J. "Jim" (R)	
CA-02		Herger, Wally (R)*	Morgan, Stan (D)	
CA-03		Ose, Doug (R)*	Kent, Bob (D)	
CA-04		Doolittle, John T. (R)*	Norberg, Mark A. (D)	
CA-05		Matsui, Robert T. (D)*	Payne, Ken (R)	
CA-06		Woolsey, Lynn (D)*	McAuliffe, Ken (R)	
CA-07		Miller, George (D)*	Hoffman, Christopher A. (R)	
CA-08		Pelosi, Nancy (D)*	Sparks, Adam (R)	
CA-09		Lee, Barbara (D)*	Washington, Arneze (R)	

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CA-10		Tauscher, Ellen (D)*	Hutchison, Claude B. Jr. (R)	
CA-11		Pombo, Richard W. (R)*	Santos, Tom Y. (D)	
CA-12		Lantos, Tom (D)*	Garza, Mike (R)	
CA-13		Stark, Fortney Pete (D)*	Goetz, James R. "Jim" (R)	
CA-14		Eshoo, Anna G. (D)*	Quraishi, Bill (R)	
CA-15	Campbell, Tom (R)		Cunneen, Jim (R)	Honda, Mike (D)*
CA-16		Lofgren, Zoe (D)*	Thayn, Horace "Gene" (R)	
CA-17		Farr, Sam (D)*	Engler, Clint (R)	
CA-18		Condit, Gary A. (D)*	Wilson, Steve R. (R)	
CA-19		Radanovich, George (R)*	Rosenberg, Dan (D)	
CA-20		Dooley, Calvin M. (D)*	Rodriguez, Rich (R)	
CA-21		Thomas, Bill (R)*	Martinez, Pedro "Pete" Jr. (D)	
CA-22		Capps, Lois (D)*	Stoker, Mike (R)	
CA-23		Gallegly, Elton (R)*	Case, Michael (D)	
CA-24		Sherman, Brad (D)*	Doyle, Jerry (R)	
CA-25		McKeon, Howard P. (Buck) (R)*	Gold, Sid (D)	
CA-26		Berman, Howard L. (D)*		
CA-27		Rogan, James E. (R)	Schiff, Adam (D)*	
CA-28		Dreier, David (R)*	Nelson, Janice M. (D)	
CA-29		Waxman, Henry A. (D)*	Scileppi, Jim (R)	
CA-30		Becerra, Xavier (D)*	Goss, Tony (R)	
CA-31	Martinez, Matthew G. (D)		Solis, Hilda L. (D)*	
CA-32		Dixon, Julian C. (D)*	Williamson, Kathy (R)	

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CA-33		Roybal-Allard, Lucille (D)*	Miller, Wayne (R)	
CA-34		Napolitano, Grace F. (D)*	Canales, Robert Arthur (R)	
CA-35		Waters, Maxine (D)*	McGill, Carl (R)	
CA-36		Kuykendall, Steven T. (R)	Harman, Jane (D)*	
CA-37		Millender-McDonald, Juanita (D)*	Van, Vernon (R)	
CA-38		Horn, Steve (R)*	Schipske, Gerrie (D)	
CA-39		Royce, Edward R. (R)*	Kanel, Gill G. (D)	
CA-40		Lewis, Jerry (R)*		
CA-41		Miller, Gary G. (R)*	Favila, Rodolfo G. (D)	
CA-42	Brown, George E., Jr. (R)		Baca, Joe (D)*	Pirozzi, Elia (R)
CA-43		Calvert, Ken (R)*		
CA-44		Bono, Mary (R)*	Oden, Ron (D)	
CA-45		Rohrabacher, Dana (R)*	Crisell, Ted (D)	
CA-46		Sanchez, Loretta (D)*	Tuchman, Gloria Matta (R)	
CA-47		Cox, Christopher (R)*	Graham, John (D)	
CA-48	Packard, Ron (R)		Issa, Darrell (R)*	Kouvelis, Peter (D)
CA-49		Bilbray, Brian P. (R)	Davis, Susan A. (D)*	
CA-50		Filner, Bob (D)*	Divine, Bob (R)	
CA-51		Cunningham, Randy (Duke) (R)*	Barraza, George “Jorge” (D)	
CA-52		Hunter, Duncan (R)*	Barkacs, Craig (D)	
CO-01		DeGette, Diana (D)*	Thomas, Jesse L. (R)	
CO-02		Udall, Mark (D)*	Cox, Carolyn (R)	
CO-03		McInnis, Scott (R)*	Imrie, Curtis (D)	

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CO-04		Schaffer, Bob (R)*		
CO-05		Hefley, Joel (R)*		
CO-06		Tancredo, Thomas G. (R)*	Toltz, Kenneth A. (D)	
CT-01		Larson, John B. (D)*	Backlund, Bob (R)	
CT-02		Gejdenson, Sam (D)*	Simmons, Rob (R)	
CT-03		DeLauro, Rosa L. (D)*	Gold, June M. (R)	
CT-04		Shays, Christopher (R)*	Sanchez, Stephanie (D)	
CT-05		Maloney, James H. (D)*	Nielsen, Mark (R)	
CT-06		Johnson, Nancy L. (R)*	Valenti, Paul (D)	
DE-01		Castle, Michael N. (R)*	Miller, Micheal C. (D)	
FL-01		Scarborough, Joe (R)*		
FL-02		Boyd, Allen (D)*	Dodd, Doug (R)	
FL-03		Brown, Corrine (D)*	Carroll, Jennifer S. (R)	
FL-04	Fowler, Tillie K. (R)		Crenshaw, Ander (R)*	Sullivan, Tom (D)
FL-05		Thurman, Karen L. (D)*	Enwall, Pete (R)	
FL-06		Stearns, Cliff (R)*		
FL-07		Mica, John L. (R)*	Vaughen, Dan (D)	
FL-08	McCollum, Bill (R)		Chapin, Linda W. (D)	Keller, Ric (R)*
FL-09		Bilirakis, Michael (R)*		
FL-10		Young, C.W. Bill (R)*		
FL-11		Davis, Jim (D)*		
FL-12	Canady, Charles T. (R)		Putnam, Adam H. (R)*	Stedem, Mike (D)
FL-13		Miller, Dan (R)*	Dunn, Daniel E. (D)	

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FL-14		Goss, Porter J. (R)*		
FL-15		Weldon, Dave (R)*	Kurth, Patsy Ann (D)	
FL-16		Foley, Mark (R)*	Brown, Jean Elliott (D)	
FL-17		Meek, Carrie (D)*		
FL-18		Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana (R)*		
FL-19		Wexler, Robert (D)*	Thompson, Morris Kent (R)	
FL-20		Deutsch, Peter (D)*		
FL-21		Diaz-Balart, Lincoln (R)*		
FL-22		Shaw, E. Clay, Jr. (R)*	Bloom, Elaine (D)	
FL-23		Hastings, Alcee L. (D)*	Lambert, Bill (R)	
GA-01		Kingston, Jack (R)*	Griggs, Joyce Marie (D)	
GA-02		Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. (D)*	Glenn, Dylan (R)	
GA-03		Collins, Mac (R)*	Notti, Gail (D)	
GA-04		McKinney, Cynthia (D)*	Warren, Sunny (R)	
GA-05		Lewis, John (D)*	Schwab, Hank (R)	
GA-06		Isakson, Johnny (R)*	DeHart, Brett (D)	
GA-07		Barr, Bob (R)*	Kahn, Roger (D)	
GA-08		Chambliss, Saxby (R)*	Marshall, Jim (D)	
GA-09		Deal, Nathan (R)*	Harrington, James (D)	
GA-10		Norwood, Charlie (R)*	Freeman, Denise (D)	
GA-11		Linder, John (R)*		
IA-01		Leach, James A. (R)*	Simpson, Bob (D)	
IA-02		Nussle, Jim (R)*	Smith, Donna L. (D)	

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IA-03		Boswell, Leonard L. (D)*	Marcus, Jay (R)	
IA-04		Ganske, Greg (R)*	Huston, Michael L. (D)	
IA-05		Latham, Tom (R)*	Palecek, Mike (D)	
ID-01	Chenoweth, Helen (R)		Otter, C. L. “Butch” (R)*	Pall, Linda (D)
ID-02		Simpson, Michael K. (R)*	Williams, Craig (D)	
IL-01		Rush, Bobby L. (D)*	Wardingley, Raymond G. (R)	
IL-02		Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. (D)*	Gordon, Robert III (R)	
IL-03		Lipinski, William O. (D)*	Groth, Karl (R)	
IL-04		Gutierrez, Luis V. (D)*		
IL-05		Blagojevich, Rod (D)*		
IL-06		Hyde, Henry J. (R)*	Christensen, Brent (D)	
IL-07		Davis, Danny K. (D)*	Dallas, Robert (R)	
IL-08		Crane, Philip M. (R)*	Pressl, Lance (D)	
IL-09		Schakowsky, Janice D. (D)*	Driscoll, Dennis J. (R)	
IL-10	Porter, John Edward (R)		Gash, Lauren Beth (D)	Kirk, Mark Steven (R)*
IL-11		Weller, Jerry (R)*	Stevenson, James P. (D)	
IL-12		Costello, Jerry F. (D)*		
IL-13		Biggert, Judy (R)*	Mason, Thomas (D)	
IL-14		Hastert, J. Dennis (R)*	Deljonson, Vern (D)	
IL-15	Ewing, Thomas W. (R)		Johnson, Tim (R)*	Kelleher, F. Michael “Mike” Jr. (D)
IL-16		Manzullo, Donald (R)*	Hendrickson, Charles W. (D)	
IL-17		Evans, Lane (D)*	Baker, Mark (R)	

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IL-18		LaHood, Ray (R)*	Harant, Joyce (D)	
IL-19		Phelps, David D. (D)*	Eatherly, James “Jim” (R)	
IL-20		Shimkus, John M. (R)*	Cooper, Jeffrey S. (D)	
IN-01		Visclosky, Peter J. (D)*	Reynolds, Jack (R)	
IN-02	McIntosh, David M. (R)		Pence, Mike (R)*	Rock, Robert W. (D)
IN-03		Roemer, Timothy J. (D)*	Chocola, Chris (R)	
IN-04		Souder, Mark E. (R)*	Foster, Michael (Mike) Dewayne (D)	
IN-05		Buyer, Steve (R)*	Goodnight, Greg (D)	
IN-06		Burton, Dan (R)*	Griesey, Darin Patrick (D)	
IN-07	Pease, Edward A. (R)		Graf, Michael Douglas (D)	Kerns, Brian D. (R)*
IN-08		Hostettler, John (R)*	Perry, Paul E. (D)	
IN-09		Hill, Baron P. (D)*	Bailey, Michael E. (R)	
IN-10		Carson, Julia M. (D)*	Scott, Marvin B. (R)	
KS-01		Moran, Jerry (R)*		
KS-02		Ryun, Jim (R)*	Wiles, Stanley (D)	
KS-03		Moore, Dennis (D)*	Kline, Phill (R)	
KS-04		Tiahart, Todd (R)*	Nolla, Carlos (D)	
KY-01		Whitfield, Edward (R)*	Roy, Brian S. (D)	
KY-02		Lewis, Ron (R)*	Pedigo, Brian (D)	
KY-03		Northup, Anne M. (R)*	Jordan, Eleanor (D)	
KY-04		Lucas, Ken (D)*	Bell, Don (R)	
KY-05		Rogers, Harold (R)*	Bailey, Sidney Jane (D)	
KY-06		Fletcher, Ernest L. (R)*	Baesler, Scotty (D)	

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LA-01		Vitter, David (R)*		
LA-02		Jefferson, William J. (D)*		
LA-03		Tauzin, W.J. (Billy) (R)*		
LA-04		McCrery, Jim (R)*		
LA-05		Cooksey, John (R)*		
LA-06		Baker, Richard H. (R)*		
LA-07		John, Chris (D)*		
MA-01		Olver, John W. (D)*	Abair, Peter J. (R)	
MA-02		Neal, Richard E. (D)*		
MA-03		McGovern, James P. (D)*		
MA-04		Frank, Barney (D)*	Travis, Martin D. (R)	
MA-05		Meehan, Martin T. (D)*		
MA-06		Tierney, John (D)*	McCarthy, Paul (R)	
MA-07		Markey, Edward J. (D)*		
MA-08		Capuano, Michael E. (D)*		
MA-09		Moakley, John Joseph (D)*	Jeghelian, Janet E. (R)	
MA-10		Delahunt, William D. (D)*	Bleicken, Eric V. (R)	
MD-01		Gilchrest, Wayne T. (R)*	Bozman, Bennett (D)	
MD-02		Ehrlich, Robert, Jr. (R)*	Bosley, Kenneth T. (D)	
MD-03		Cardin, Benjamin L. (D)*	Harby, Colin (R)	
MD-04		Wynn, Albert R. (D)*	Kimble, John B. (R)	
MD-05		Hoyer, Steny H. (D)*	Hutchins, Thomas E. "Tim" (R)	
MD-06		Bartlett, Roscoe G. (R)*	DeArmon, Donald M. (D)	

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		* = winner		
MD-07		Cummings, Elijah E. (D)*	Kondner, Kenneth (R)	
MD-08		Morella, Constance A. (R)*	Lierman, Terry (D)	
ME-01		Allen, Thomas H. (D)*	Amero, Jane A. (R)	
ME-02		Baldacci, John Elias (D)*	Campbell, Richard H. (R)	
MI-01		Stupak, Bart (D)*	Yob, Chuck (R)	
MI-02		Hoekstra, Peter (R)*	Shrauger, Bob (D)	
MI-03		Ehlers, Vernon (R)*	Steele, Timothy W. (D)	
MI-04		Camp, Dave (R)*	Hollenbeck, Lawrence D. (D)	
MI-05		Barcia, James A. (D)*	Actis, Ronald G. (R)	
MI-06		Upton, Fred (R)*	Bupp, James (D)	
MI-07		Smith, Nick (R)*	Crittendon, Jennie (D)	
MI-08	Stabenow, Debbie (D)		Byrum, Dianne (D)	Rogers, Mike (R)*
MI-09		Kildee, Dale E. (D)*	Garrett, Grant (R)	
MI-10		Bonior, David E. (D)*	Turner, Tom (R)	
MI-11		Knollenberg, Joe (R)*	Frumin, Matthew (D)	
MI-12		Levin, Sander M. (D)*	Baron, Bart (R)	
MI-13		Rivers, Lynn Nancy (D)*	Berry, Carl F. (R)	
MI-14		Conyers, John, Jr. (D)*	Ashe, William A. (R)	
MI-15		Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. (D)*	Boyd-Fields, Chrysanthea D. (R)	
MI-16		Dingell, John D. (D)*	Morse, William (R)	
MN-01		Gutknecht, Gil (R)*	Rieder, Mary (D)	
MN-02		Minge, David (D)	Kennedy, Mark (R)*	
MN-03		Ramstad, Jim (R)*	Shuff, Sue (D)	

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MN-04	Vento, Bruce F. (D)		McCollum, Betty (D)*	Runbeck, Linda (R)
MN-05		Sabo, Martin Olav (D)*	Taylor, Frank (R)	
MN-06		Luther, Bill (D)*	Kline, John (R)	
MN-07		Peterson, Collin C. (D)*	Menze, Glen (R)	
MN-08		Oberstar, James L. (D)*	Lemen, Bob (R)	
MO-01		Clay, William (Bill) (D)*	Billingsly, Z. Dwight (R)	
MO-02	Talent, James M. (R)		Akin, Todd (R)*	House, Ted (D)
MO-03		Gephardt, Richard A. (D)*	Federer, Bill (R)	
MO-04		Skelton, Ike (D)*	Noland, Jim (R)	
MO-05		McCarthy, Karen (D)*	Gordon, Steve (R)	
MO-06		Danner, Steve (D)	Graves, Samuel B. (Sam) Jr. (R)*	
MO-07		Blunt, Roy (R)*	Christrup, Charles (D)	
MO-08		Emerson, Jo Ann (R)*	Camp, Bob (D)	
MO-09		Hulshof, Kenny (R)*	Carroll, Steven R. (D)	
MS-01		Wicker, Roger (R)*	Grist, Joe T. (Joey) Jr. (D)	
MS-02		Thompson, Bennie G. (D)*	Caraway, Hardy (R)	
MS-03		Pickering, Charles W. (Chip) Jr. (R)*	Thrash, William (D)	
MS-04		Shows, Ronnie (D)*	Lampton, Dunn (R)	
MS-05		Taylor, Gene (D)*	McDonnell, Randy (R)	
MT-01	Hill, Rick (R)		Keenan, Nancy (D)	Rehberg, Dennis (R)*
NC-01		Clayton, Eva (D)*	Kratzer, Duane E. Jr. (R)	
NC-02		Etheridge, Bob (D)*	Haynes, Doug (R)	

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NC-03		Jones, Walter B. (R)*	McNairy, Leigh Harvey (D)	
NC-04		Price, David E. (D)*	Ward, Jess (R)	
NC-05		Burr, Richard M. (R)*		
NC-06		Coble, Howard (R)*		
NC-07		McIntyre, Mike (D)*	Adams, James R. (R)	
NC-08		Hayes, Robin (R)*	Taylor, Mike (D)	
NC-09		Myrick, Sue (R)*	McGuire, Ed (D)	
NC-10		Ballenger, Cass (R)*	Parker, Delmas (D)	
NC-11		Taylor, Charles H. (R)*	Neill, Sam (D)	
NC-12		Watt, Melvin (D)*	Mitchell, Chad (R)	
ND-01		Pomeroy, Earl (D)*	Dorso, John (R)	
NE-01		Bereuter, Doug (R)*	Jacobsen, Alan (D)	
NE-02		Terry, Lee (R)*	Kiel, Shelley (D)	
NE-03	Barrett, Bill (R)		Osborne, Tom (R)*	Reynolds, Roland E. (D)
NH-01		Sununu, John E. (R)*	Clark, Martha Fuller (D)	
NH-02		Bass, Charles (R)*	Brannen, Barney (D)	
NJ-01		Andrews, Robert E. (D)*	Cathcart, Charlene (R)	
NJ-02		LoBiondo, Frank (R)*	Janosik, Edward G. (D)	
NJ-03		Saxton, Jim (R)*	Levin, Susan Bass (D)	
NJ-04		Smith, Christopher H. (R)*	Gusciora, Reed (D)	
NJ-05		Roukema, Marge (R)*	Mercurio, Linda A. (D)	
NJ-06		Pallone, Frank, Jr. (D)*	Kennedy, Brian T. (R)	
NJ-07	Franks, Bob (R)		Connelly, Maryanne (D)	Ferguson, Mike (R)*

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NJ-08		Pascrell, William J., Jr. (D)*	Fusco, Anthony Jr. (R)	
NJ-09		Rothman, Steven R. (D)*	Tedeschi, Joseph (R)	
NJ-10		Payne, Donald M. (D)*	Weber, Dirk B. (R)	
NJ-11		Frelinghuysen, Rodney P. (R)*	Scollo, John P. (D)	
NJ-12		Holt, Rush D. (D)*	Zimmer, Dick (R)	
NJ-13		Menendez, Robert (D)*	de Leon, Theresa (R)	
NM-01		Wilson, Heather (R)*	Kelly, John J. (D)	
NM-02		Skeen, Joe (R)*	Montoya, Michael A. (D)	
NM-03		Udall, Tom (D)*	Lutz, Lisa L. (R)	
NV-01		Berkley, Shelley (D)*	Porter, Jon (R)	
NV-02		Gibbons, Jim (R)*	Cahill, Tierney (D)	
NY-01	Forbes, Michael P. (D)		Grucci, Felix J. Jr. (R)*	Seltzer, Regina (D)
NY-02	Lazio, Rick A. (R)		Isreal, Steve J. (D)*	Johnson, Joan B. (R)
NY-03		King, Peter T. (R)*	LaMagna, Dal (D)	
NY-04		McCarthy, Carolyn (D)*	Becker, Gregory R. (R)	
NY-05		Ackerman, Gary L. (D)*	Elkowitz, Edward (R)	
NY-06		Meeks, Gregory W. (D)*		
NY-07		Crowley, Joseph (D)*	Birtley, Rose Robles (R)	
NY-08		Nadler, Jerrold (D)*	Henry, Marian S. (R)	
NY-09		Weiner, Anthony D. (D)*	Dear, Noach (R)	
NY-10		Towns, Edolphus (D)*	Brown, Ernestine M. (R)	
NY-11		Owens, Major R. (D)*	Cleary, Susan (R)	

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NY-12		Velázquez, Nydia M. (D)*	Markgraf, Rosemary (R)	
NY-13		Fossella, Vito (R)*	Johnstone, Katina M. (D)	
NY-14		Maloney, Carolyn B. (D)*	Rhodes, C. Adrienne (R)	
NY-15		Rangel, Charles B. (D)*	Suero, Jose Augustin (R)	
NY-16		Serrano, José E. (D)*	Justice, Aaron (R)	
NY-17		Engel, Eliot L. (D)*	McManus, Patrick (R)	
NY-18		Lowey, Nita M. (D)*	Vonglis, John G. (R)	
NY-19		Kelly, Sue (R)*	Graham, Larry Otis (D)	
NY-20		Gilman, Benjamin A. (R)*	Feiner, Paul J. (D)	
NY-21		McNulty, Michael R. (D)*	Pillsworth, Thomas G. (R)	
NY-22		Sweeney, John E. (R)*	McCallion, Kenneth F. (D)	
NY-23		Boehlert, Sherwood L. (R)*	Englebrecht, Richard W. (D)	
NY-24		McHugh, John M. (R)*	Tallon, Neil P. (D)	
NY-25		Walsh, James T. (R)*	Gavin, Francis J. (D)	
NY-26		Hinchey, Maurice D. (D)*	Moppert, Bob (R)	
NY-27		Reynolds, Thomas M. (R)*	Pecoraro, Thomas W. (D)	
NY-28		Slaughter, Louise McIntosh (D)*	Johns, Mark C. (R)	
NY-29		LaFalce, John J. (D)*	Sommer, Brett M. (R)	
NY-30		Quinn, Jack (R)*	Fee, John (D)	
NY-31		Houghton, Amo (R)*	Peters, Kisun J. (D)	
OH-01		Chabot, Steve (R)*	Cranley, John (D)	

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OH-02		Portman, Rob (R)*	Sanders, Charles W. (D)	
OH-03		Hall, Tony P. (D)*		
OH-04		Oxley, Michael G. (R)*	Dickman, Daniel L. (D)	
OH-05		Gillmor, Paul E. (R)*	Edmon, Dannie (D)	
OH-06		Strickland, Ted (D)*	Azinger, Mike (R)	
OH-07		Hobson, David L. (R)*	Minor, Donald E. (D)	
OH-08		Boehner, John A. (R)*	Parks, John G. (D)	
OH-09		Kaptur, Marcy (D)*	Bryan, Dwight E. (R)	
OH-10		Kucinich, Dennis (D)*	Smith, Bill (R)	
OH-11		Jones, Stephanie Tubbs (D)*	Sykora, James J. (R)	
OH-12	Kasich, John R. (R)		O'Shaughnessy, Maryellen (D)	Tiberi, Pat (R)*
OH-13		Brown, Sherrod (D)*	Jeric, Rick H. (R)	
OH-14		Sawyer, Thomas C. (D)*	Wood, Rick (R)	
OH-15		Pryce, Deborah (R)*	Buckel, Bill (D)	
OH-16		Regula, Ralph (R)*	Smith, William (D)	
OH-17		Traficant, James A., Jr. (D)*	Alberty, Paul H. (R)	
OH-18		Ney, Robert W. (R)*	Guthrie, Marc D. (D)	
OH-19		LaTourette, Steven (R)*	Blanchard, Dale Virgil (D)	
OK-01		Largent, Steve (R)*	Lowe, Dan (D)	
OK-02	Coburn, Thomas A. (R)		Carson, Brad (D)*	Ewing, Andy (R)
OK-03		Watkins, Wes (R)*		
OK-04		Watts, J.C., Jr. (R)*	Weatherford, Larry (D)	

US House incumbents and general election candidates

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Congressional district	Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
		* = winner		
OK-05		Istook, Ernest J., Jr. (R)*	McWatters, Garland (D)	
OK-06		Lucas, Frank D. (R)*	Beutler, Randy (D)	
OR-01		Wu, David (D)*	Starr, Charles (R)	
OR-02		Walden, Greg (R)*	Ponsford, Walter (D)	
OR-03		Blumenauer, Earl (D)*	Pollock, Jeffery L. (R)	
OR-04		DeFazio, Peter A. (D)*	Lindsey, John (R)	
OR-05		Hooley, Darlene (D)*	Boquist, Brian J. (R)	
PA-01		Brady, Robert A. (D)*	Kush, Steven N. (R)	
PA-02		Fattah, Chaka (D)*		
PA-03		Borski, Robert A. (D)*	Dougherty, Charles F. (R)	
PA-04	Klink, Ron (D)		Hart, Melissa (R)*	Van Horne, Terry E. (D)
PA-05		Peterson, John E. (R)*		
PA-06		Holden, Tim (D)*	Kopel, Thomas G. (R)	
PA-07		Weldon, Curt (R)*	Lennon, Peter A. (D)	
PA-08		Greenwood, James C. (R)*	Strouse, Ronald L. (D)	
PA-09		Shuster, Bud (R)*		
PA-10		Sherwood, Don (R)*	Casey, Pat (D)	
PA-11		Kanjorski, Paul E. (D)*	Urban, Stephen A. (R)	
PA-12		Murtha, John P. (D)*	Choby, Bill (R)	
PA-13		Hoeffel, Joseph M. (D)*	Greenleaf, Stewart J. (R)	
PA-14		Coyne, William J. (D)*		
PA-15		Toomey, Patrick J. (R)*	O'Brien, Ed (D)	

US House incumbents and general election candidates

Congressional district	Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
		* = winner		
PA-16		Pitts, Joseph R. (R)*	Yorczyk, Bob (D)	
PA-17		Gekas, George W. (R)*	Herrmann, Leslye Hess (D)	
PA-18		Doyle, Michael F. (D)*	Stephens, Craig C. (R)	
PA-19	Goodling, William F. (R)		Platts, Todd (R)*	Sanders, Jeff (D)
PA-20		Mascara, Frank (D)*	Davis, Ronald J. (R)	
PA-21		English, Phil (R)*	Flitter, Marc A. (D)	
RI-01		Kennedy, Patrick J. (D)*	Cabral, Stephen (R)	
RI-02	Weygand, Robert A. (D)		Langevin, James R. (D)*	Tingle, Robert G. (R)
SC-01	Sanford, Marshall (Mark) (R)		Brack, Andy (D)	Brown, Henry (R)*
SC-02		Spence, Floyd (R)*	Frederick, Jane (D)	
SC-03		Graham, Lindsey (R)*	Brightharp, George (D)	
SC-04		DeMint, Jim (R)*		
SC-05		Spratt, John M., Jr. (D)*	Gullick, Carl (R)	
SC-06		Clyburn, James E. (D)*	Ellison, Vince (R)	
SD-01		Thune, John (R)*	Hohn, Curt (D)	
TN-01		Jenkins, William L. (Bill) (R)*		
TN-02		Duncan, John J., Jr. (R)*		
TN-03		Wamp, Zach (R)*	Callaway, William L. (D)	
TN-04		Hilleary, Van (R)*	Dunaway, David H. (D)	
TN-05		Clement, Bob (D)*	Scott, Stan (R)	
TN-06		Gordon, Bart (D)*	Charles, David (R)	
TN-07		Bryant, Ed (R)*	Sims, Richard P. (D)	
TN-08		Tanner, John S. (D)*	Yancy, Billy (R)	

US House incumbents and general election candidates

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Congressional district	Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
		* = winner		
TN-09		Ford, Harold E., Jr. (D)*		
TX-01		Sandlin, Max (D)*	Willingham, Noble (R)	
TX-02		Turner, Jim (D)*		
TX-03		Johnson, Sam (R)*	Zachary, Billy Wayne (D)	
TX-04		Hall, Ralph M. (D)*	Newton, Jon (R)	
TX-05		Sessions, Pete (R)*	Coggins, Regina Montoya (D)	
TX-06		Barton, Joe (R)*		
TX-07	Archer, Bill (R)		Culberson, John (R)*	Sell, Jeff (D)
TX-08		Brady, Kevin (R)*		
TX-09		Lampson, Nick (D)*	Williams, Paul (R)	
TX-10		Doggett, Lloyd (D)*		
TX-11		Edwards, Chet (D)*	Farley, Ramsey (R)	
TX-12		Granger, Kay (R)*	Greene, Mark (D)	
TX-13		Thornberry, William (Mac) (R)*	Clinesmith, Curtis (D)	
TX-14		Paul, Ron (R)*	Sneary, Loy (D)	
TX-15		Hinojosa, Rubén (D)*		
TX-16		Reyes, Silvestre (D)*	Power, Daniel S. (R)	
TX-17		Stenholm, Charles W. (D)*	Clements, Darrell (R)	
TX-18		Jackson Lee, Sheila (D)*	Levy, Bob (R)	
TX-19		Combest, Larry (R)*		
TX-20		Gonzalez, Charles A. (D)*		
TX-21		Smith, Lamar S. (R)*	Green, Jim (D)	
TX-22		DeLay, Tom (R)*	Matranga, Jo Ann (D)	
TX-23		Bonilla, Henry (R)*	Garza, Isidro Jr. (D)	

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Congressional district	Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
		* = winner		
TX-24		Frost, Martin (D)*	Wright, James “Bryndan” (R)	
TX-25		Bentsen, Ken (D)*	Sudan, Phil (R)	
TX-26		Armey, Dick (R)*	Love, Steve (D)	
TX-27		Ortiz, Solomon P. (D)*	Ahumada, Pat (R)	
TX-28		Rodriguez, Ciro (D)*		
TX-29		Green, Gene (D)*	Vu, Joe (R)	
TX-30		Johnson, Eddie Bernice (D)*		
UT-01		Hansen, James V. (R)*	Collinwood, Kathleen McConkie (D)	
UT-02	Cook, Merrill (R)		Matheson, Jim (D)*	Smith, Derek W. (R)
UT-03		Cannon, Christopher B. (R)*	Dunn, Donald (D)	
VA-01	Bateman, Herbert H. (R)		Davies, Lawrence A. (D)	Davis, Jo Ann S. (R)*
VA-02	Pickett, Owen B. (D)		Schrock, Edward L. “Ed” (R)*	Wagner, Jody M. (D)
VA-03		Scott, Robert C. (Bobby) (D)*		
VA-04		Sisisky, Norman (D)*		
VA-05		Goode, Virgil H., Jr. (D)*	Boyd, John W., Jr. (D)	
VA-06		Goodlatte, Robert W. (Bob) (R)*		
VA-07	Bliley, Tom (R)		Cantor, Eric I. (R)*	Stewart, Warren (D)
VA-08		Moran, James P. (D)*	Miller, Demaris H. (R)	
VA-09		Boucher, Rick (D)*	Osborne, Michael D. “Oz” (R)	
VA-10		Wolf, Frank R. (R)*		
VA-11		Davis, Thomas M., III (R)*	Corrigan, M. L. “Mike” (D)	
VT-01		Sanders, Bernard (I)*	Diamondstone, Pete (D)	Kerin, Karen Ann (R)

US House incumbents and general election candidates

Congressional district	Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
		* = winner		
WA-01		Inslee, Jay (D)*	McDonald, Dan (R)	
WA-02	Metcalf, Jack (R)		Koster, John (R)	Larsen, Rick (D)*
WA-03		Baird, Brian (D)*	Matson, Trent R. (R)	
WA-04		Hastings, Doc (R)*	Davis, Jim (D)	
WA-05		Nethercutt, George (R)*	Keefe, Tom (D)	
WA-06		Dicks, Norman D. (D)*	Lawrence, Bob (R)	
WA-07		McDermott, Jim (D)*		
WA-08		Dunn, Jennifer (R)*	Behrens-Benedict, Heidi (D)	
WA-09		Smith, Adam (D)*	Vance, Chris (R)	
WI-01		Ryan, Paul (R)*	Thomas, Jeffrey C. (D)	
WI-02		Baldwin, Tammy (D)*	Sharpless, John (R)	
WI-03		Kind, Ron (D)*	Tully, Susan (R)	
WI-04		Kleczkza, Gerald D. (D)*	Riener, Tim (R)	
WI-05		Barrett, Thomas M. (D)*	Smith, Jonathan (R)	
WI-06		Petri, Thomas E. (R)*	Flaherty, Dan (D)	
WI-07		Obey, David R. (D)*	Cronin, Sean (R)	
WI-08		Green, Mark (R)*	Reich, Dean (D)	
WI-09		Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. (R)*	Clawson, Mike (D)	
WV-01		Mollohan, Alan B. (D)*		
WV-02	Wise, Robert E., Jr. (D)		Capito, Shelley Moore (R)*	Humphreys, Jim (D)
WV-03		Rahall, Nick J., II (D)*		
WY-01		Cubin, Barbara (R)*	Green, Michael Allen (D)	

US Senate incumbents and general election candidates

State	Incumbents not up or running for re-election		Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
	First incumbent not up for re-election	Second incumbent not up for re-election		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
AL	Sessions, Jeff (R)	Shelby, Richard C. (R)				
AR	Hutchinson, Tim (R)	Lincoln, Blanche L. (D)				
AZ	McCain, John (R)			Kyl, Jon (R)*	Hess, Barry J., II (Libertarian)	
CA	Boxer, Barbara (D)			Feinstein, Dianne (D)*	Campbell, Tom (R)	
CO	Allard, Wayne (R)	Campbell, Ben Nighthorse (R)				
CT	Dodd, Christopher J. (D)			Lieberman, Joseph I. (D)*	Giordano, Phil (R)	
DE	Biden, Joseph R., Jr. (D)			Roth, William V., Jr. (R)	Carper, Thomas R. (D)*	
FL	Graham, Bob (D)		Mack, Connie (R)		McCollum, Bill (R)	Nelson, Bill (D)*
GA	Cleland, Max (D)	Coverdell, Paul (R)		Miller, Zell (N)*	Mattingly, Mack F. (N)	
IA	Grassley, Charles E. (R)	Harkin, Tom (D)				
ID	Craig, Larry E. (R)	Crapo, Michael D. (R)				
IL	Durbin, Richard J. (D)	Fitzgerald, Peter G. (R)				
IN	Bayh, Evan (D)			Lugar, Richard G. (R)*	Johnson, David L. (D)	
KS	Brownback, Samuel Dale (R)	Roberts, Pat (R)				
KY	Bunning, Jim (R)	McConnell, Mitch (R)				
LA	Breaux, John B. (D)	Landrieu, Mary (D)				
MA	Kerry, John F. (D)			Kennedy, Edward M. (D)*	Robinson, Jack E. III (R)	
MD	Mikulski, Barbara A. (D)			Sarbanes, Paul S. (D)*	Rappaport, Paul H. (R)	
ME	Collins, Susan (R)			Snowe, Olympia J. (R)*	Lawrence, Mark W. (D)	

* = winner

US Senate incumbents and general election candidates

State	Incumbents not up or running for re-election		Retiring incumbent	Major general election candidates		
	First incumbent not up for re-election	Second incumbent not up for re-election		Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
* = winner						
MI	Levin, Carl (D)			Abraham, Spencer (R)	Stabenow, Debbie (D)*	
MN	Wellstone, Paul David (D)			Grams, Rod (R)	Dayton, Mark (D)*	
MO	Bond, Christopher S. (R)			Ashcroft, John (R)	Carnahan, Mel (D)*	
MS	Cochran, Thad (R)			Lott, Trent (R)*	Brown, Troy (D)	
MT	Baucus, Max (D)			Burns, Conrad R. (R)*	Schweitzer, Brian (D)	
NC	Edwards, John (D)	Helms, Jesse (R)				
ND	Dorgan, Byron L. (D)			Conrad, Kent (D)*	Sand, Duane (R)	
NE	Hagel, Chuck (R)		Kerrey, J. Robert (D)		Nelson, Ben (D)*	Stenberg, Don (R)
NH	Gregg, Judd (R)	Smith, Bob (I)				
NJ	Torricelli, Robert G. (D)		Lautenberg, Frank R (D)		Corzine, Jon S. (D)*	Franks, Bob (R)
NM	Domenici, Pete V. (R)			Bingaman, Jeff (D)*	Redmond, Bill (R)	
NV	Reid, Harry (D)		Bryan, Richard H. (D)		Bernstein, Ed (D)	Ensign, John (R)*
NY	Schumer, Charles E. (D)		Moynihan, Daniel P. (D)		Clinton, Hillary Rodham (D)*	Lazio, Rick (R)
OH	Voinovich, George V. (R)			DeWine, Mike (R)*	Celeste, Theodore S. (D)	
OK	Inhofe, James M. (R)	Nickles, Don (R)				
OR	Smith, Gordon (R)	Wyden, Ron (D)				
PA	Specter, Arlen (R)			Santorum, Rick (R)*	Klink, Ron (D)	
RI	Reed, Jack (D)			Chafee, Lincoln D. (R)*	Weygand, Robert A. (D)	
SC	Hollings, Ernest F. (D)	Thurmond, Strom (R)				

US Senate incumbents and general election candidates

State	Incumbents not up or running for re-election		Major general election candidates			
	First incumbent not up for re-election	Second incumbent not up for re-election	Retiring incumbent	Incumbent running for re-election	First challenging candidate	Second challenging candidate
* = winner						
SD	Daschle, Thomas A. (D)	Johnson, Tim (D)				
TN	Thompson, Fred (R)			Frist, Bill (R)*	Clark, Jeff (D)	
TX	Gramm, Phil (R)			Hutchison, Kay Bailey (R)*	Kelly, Gene (D)	
UT	Bennett, Robert F. (R)			Hatch, Orrin G. (R)*	Howell, Scott N. (D)	
VA	Warner, John W. (R)			Robb, Charles S. (D)	Allen, George F. (R)*	
VT	Leahy, Patrick J. (D)			Jeffords, James M. (R)*	Flanagan, Ed (D)	
WA	Murray, Patty (D)			Gorton, Slade (R)	Cantwell, Maria (D)*	
WI	Feingold, Russell D. (D)			Kohl, Herb (D)*	Gillespie, John (R)	
WV	Rockefeller, John D., IV (D)			Byrd, Robert C. (D)*	Gallagher, David T. (R)	
WY	Enzi, Michael B. (R)			Thomas, Craig (R)*	Logan, Mel (D)	

In this section are questions measuring political orientation, including identification as Republican, Democrat or independent and conservative or liberal.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-37:

Cross-section studies	page ii-37
IA, NH, Super Tuesday primary panels	65
SC, MI primary panels	80
Convention panels	95
Debate panels	119
General election panel	147

Notes on variables in this section

Random assignment to line of questioning: party identification strength

For the **national cross-section study**:

- **Through 7 Dec 00**, all respondents identifying as Republican, Democrat or independent (V01) were asked if they identified strongly (V02).
- **8–11 Dec 00**, a random half sample (VZ01[1]) of those identifying as Republican, Democrat or independent were asked if they identified strongly.
- **Starting 12 Dec 00**, for a random half sample (VZ01[1]), Republicans, Democrats and independents were asked if they identified strongly; for the other random half sample (VZ01[2]), only Republicans and Democrats were asked if they identified strongly.

For **other cross-section interviews and reinterviews**, all respondents identifying as Republican, Democrat or independent were asked if they identified strongly.

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cV01**Party ID**

Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an independent or something else? Q46

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Independent
- 4 Verbatim (cV01\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cV02**Party ID strong**

Do you consider yourself a strong or not a very strong (Republican | Democrat | independent)? Q48, Q49

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Limited to {8–11 Dec 00: random 1/2 of sample, cVZ01[1]}

Asked if {through 11 Dec 00: Republican, Democrat or Independent | starting 12 Dec 00: if form cVZ01-1, Republican, Democrat or Independent; if form cVZ01-2, Republican or Democrat}

{through 11 Dec 00: cV01[1-3] | starting 12 Dec 00: (cVZ01[1] and cV01[1-3]) or (cVZ01[2] and cV01[1-2])}

- 1 Strong
- 2 Not very strong
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cV03**Lean Republican or Democratic**

Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or Democratic Party? Q50

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if not Republican or Democrat
cV01[3-999]

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democratic
- 3 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rV01**Party ID**

Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an independent or something else? Q46

SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democrat
- 3 Independent
- 4 Verbatim (rV01\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rV02**Party ID strong**

Do you consider yourself a strong or not a very strong (Republican | Democrat | independent)? Q48

SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if Republican, Democrat or Independent
rV01[1-3]

- 1 Strong
- 2 Not very strong
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rV03**Lean Republican or Democratic**

Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or Democratic Party? Q50

SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

Asked if not Republican or Democrat
rV01[3-999]

- 1 Republican
- 2 Democratic
- 3 Neither
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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V-3

Political orientation : variable detail

V-4

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cV04		rV04			
Conservative or liberal		Conservative or liberal			
Generally speaking, would you describe your political views as very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal?		Generally speaking, would you describe your political views as very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal or very liberal?			
Q51		Q51			
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS		SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint			
1	Very conservative	1	Very conservative		
2	Conservative	2	Conservative		
3	Moderate	3	Moderate		
4	Liberal	4	Liberal		
5	Very liberal	5	Very liberal		
998	Don't know	998	Don't know		
999	No answer	999	No answer		
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Random assignment					
cVZ01					
Random assignment to line of questioning for party ID strength					
Q47					
Nat CS 8 Dec 00–19 Jan 01					
1	cV02 asked if Republican, Democrat or Independent				
2	cV02 asked if Republican or Democrat				
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In this section are demographic variables, including those derived from queries of the respondent and those imputed from phone number.

But see section 0 for area code and state and section U for Congressional district.

For a summary of all variables in this section, see chapter ii, beginning on page ii-37:

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Notes on variables in this section

Demographics recorded in cross-section interviews were not repeated in reinterviews.

Demographics estimated from phone number

The following demographics were estimated from the respondent's phone number by the provider of the sample, Survey Sampling Inc.: metropolitan statistical area, MSA (W22); county, FIPS (W23); urbanity (W24); and Nielsen media market, DMA (W25). See also Zip code below and Congressional district in section U.

Zip code Two Zip codes are recorded: One is estimated from phone number by the provider of the sample (W32). The other was provided by the respondent (W33).

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Individual demographics

cW01

Sex

Sex Q440

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Male
- 2 Female
- 999 No answer

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cW02

Age

What is your age? Q441

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Range 18-97

- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cW03

Race

What is your race? White, black, Asian or some other race? Q451

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 White
- 2 Black
- 3 Asian
- 4 Verbatim (cW03\$)
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cW04

Of Hispanic or Spanish origin

Are you of Spanish or Hispanic origin or descent? Q449

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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W-4

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	cW05			
	Hispanic or Spanish origin			
	Which of these best describes your origin? Mexican, Cuban, Puerto Rican or something else? Q450			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	Asked if of Hispanic or Spanish origin cW04[1]			
	1 Mexican			
	2 Cuban			
	3 Puerto Rican			
	4 Verbatim (cW05\$)			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cW06			
	Education			
	What is the last grade or class you completed in school? Q465			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	1 Grade eight or lower			
	2 Some high school, no diploma			
	3 High school diploma or equivalent			
	4 Technical or vocational school after high school			
	5 Some college, no degree			
	6 Associate's or two-year college degree			
	7 Four-year college degree			
	8 Graduate or professional school after college, no degree			
	9 Graduate or professional degree			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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	cW07			
	US citizen			
	Are you a citizen of the United States or not? Q454			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	1 Yes			
	2 No			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cW08				
Marital status				
Are you married, living as married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married? Q452				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
1	Married			
2	Living as married			
3	Widowed			
4	Divorced			
5	Separated			
6	Never married			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
+		+		+
cW09				
Employment status				
Are you working full or part time? Q442				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
1	Working full time			
2	Working part time			
3	Temporarily unemployed			
4	Retired			
5	Permanently disabled			
6	Homemaker			
7	Student			
8	Other			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cW10				
Employed student				
As a student are you also working full or part time, or aren't you now working for pay? Q443				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
Asked if student				
<i>cW09[7]</i>				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cW11
Occupation

(Aside from being a student,) in your current job,
what kind of work do you do? Q444

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if employed

cW09[1-2] or cW10[1]

- 1 Profession worker (lawyer, doctor, scientist, teacher, engineer, registered nurse, accountant, programmer, musician)
- 2 Skilled tradesperson (printer, baker, tailor, electrician, machinist, linesperson, plumber, carpenter, mechanic)
- 3 Clerical or office worker (typist, secretary, postal clerk, telephone operator, computer operator, bank clerk)
- 4 Service worker (police officer, fire fighter, waiter or waitress, maid, nurse's aide, attendant, hairstylist)
- 5 Laborer (plumber's helper, construction worker, longshoreperson, garbage collector, other physical work)
- 6 Manager (store manager, sales manager, office manager)
- 7 Semi-skilled worker (machine operator, assembly line worker, truck driver, taxi driver, bus driver)
- 8 Salesperson
- 9 Business owner
- 10 Verbatim (cW11\$) ⊗
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cW12
Self-employed

Do you work for someone else, or are you self-employed? Q445

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if employed

cW09[1-2] or cW10[1]

- 1 Work for someone else
- 2 Self-employed
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cW13				
Work for government				
Are you employed by a federal, state or local government, the military, or aren't you employed by government? Q446				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
Asked if not self-employed				
<i>cW12[1, 998, 999]</i>				
1	Federal government			
2	State government			
3	Local government			
4	Military			
5	Not employed by government			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cW14				
Attend religious services				
How often do you attend religious services, apart from special events like weddings and funerals?				
More than once a week, once a week, once or twice a month, a few times a year or never?				
Q455				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
1	More than once a week			
2	Once a week			
3	Once or twice a month			
4	Few times a year			
5	Never			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cW15				
Affiliated with religion				
Regardless of whether you now attend any religious services do you ever think of yourself as part of a particular church or denomination?				
Q457				
Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS				
Asked if do not attend religious services				
<i>cW14[5-999]</i>				
1	Yes			
2	No			
998	Don't know			
999	No answer			
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cW16

Religious affiliation

Do you (mostly attend a place of worship that is | consider yourself) Protestant, Roman Catholic, Jewish, Mormon, an Orthodox Church, Muslim or some other religion? Q456, Q458

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if attend religious services or affiliated with religion

cW14[1-4] or cW15[1]

1	Protestant (Baptist, Christian, Episcopal, Jehovah's Witness, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian)
2	Roman Catholic
3	Jewish
4	Mormon
5	Orthodox Church
6	Muslim
7	Verbatim (cW16\$)
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cW17

Born-again Christian

Do you consider yourself an evangelical or born-again Christian? Q459

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if affiliated with religion other than Jewish or Muslim

cW16[1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 998, 999]

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	No answer

cW18

Years at current address

How many years have you lived at your present address? Q448

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

0	Less than six months
1	Six months to one year
Range	2-97
998	Don't know
999	No answer

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cW19
Have health insurance

Many Americans do not have health insurance.
Are you now covered by any form of health insurance, including any private insurance or a government program such as Medicare or Medicaid? Q461

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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cW20
Main health insurance is HMO

Is your main insurance through an HMO or not?
Q462

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

Asked if have health insurance

cW19[1]

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Household demographics

cW21
Census division

Q2

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 New England
- 2 Mid-Atlantic
- 3 East North Central
- 4 West North Central
- 5 South Atlantic
- 6 East South Central
- 7 West South Central
- 8 Mountain
- 9 Pacific

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cW22⊗
Metropolitan statistical area

Q3

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

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W-10

Demographics : variable detail

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	cW23 ⊗			
	County			
	Q4			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
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	cW24			
	Urbanity			
	Q6			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	1 Urban			
	2 Suburban			
	3 Rural			
+		+		+
	cW25 ⊗			
	Nielsen media market			
	Q7			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
+		+		+
	cW26			
	Adults in household			
	Could you please tell me how many adults age 18 or over currently live in this household? Q34			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	Range 1-97			
+		+		+
	cW27			
	Children in household			
	How many children under age 18 now live in your household? Q453			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	Range 0-97			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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cW28**Household income**

Last year, what was your total household income before taxes? Just stop me when I get to the right category. Less than \$10,000; \$10,000 to less than \$15,000; \$15,000 to less than \$25,000; \$25,000 to less than \$35,000; \$35,000 to less than \$50,000; \$50,000 to less than \$75,000; \$75,000 to less than \$100,000; \$100,000 to less than \$150,000; or \$150,000 or more? Q466

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Less than \$10,000
- 2 \$10,000 to less than \$15,000
- 3 \$15,000 to less than \$25,000
- 4 \$25,000 to less than \$35,000
- 5 \$35,000 to less than \$50,000
- 6 \$50,000 to less than \$75,000
- 7 \$75,000 to less than \$100,000
- 8 \$100,000 to less than \$150,000
- 9 \$150,000 or more
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cW29**Labor union household**

Does anyone in your household belong to a labor union? Q447

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

cW30**Military household**

Has anyone in your household ever served in the US military? This includes the National Guard and the Reserves. Q460

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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	cW31			
	Voice lines in home			
	How many telephone numbers does your household have that you receive calls on? Please include only numbers that you use for phone calls, not ones you use for computers or fax machines. Q468			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	Range 1-97			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
+		+		+
	cW32 ⊗			
	Zip code (estimated from phone)			
	Q5			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS			
+		+		+
	cW33 ⊗			
	Zip code (provided by respondent)			
	What is your zip code? Q467			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	1 Verbatim (cW33\$)			
	998 Don't know			
	999 No answer			
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Questioning unique to reinterviews

rW34

Have family history of heart disease

Does your family have a history of heart disease or not? Q464a

Super Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rW35

Have family history of diabetes

Does your family have a history of diabetes or not? Q464b

Super Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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rW36

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Have family history of breast cancer

Does your family have a history of breast cancer
or not? Q464c

Super Reint

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 998 Don't know
- 999 No answer

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Demographics : variable detail

In many cases, variables are grouped into thematic question modules, and modules into module sets; respondents were randomly assigned to the variables in one module per module set.

See also random subsampling in chapter i.

Throughout the 2000 NAES, six question module sets were used:

- **Module A** For **cross-section interviews through 17 Jul, with the exception of the SC and MI cross-section studies**, respondents were assigned in random fourths to module A1, A2, A3 or A4. Assignment is recorded in X01.
- **Module B** For **cross-section interviews and reinterviews through 17 Jul, with the exception of the SC and MI cross-section studies and post-Republican primary reinterviews**, respondents were assigned in random thirds to module B1, B2 or B3. Assignment is recorded in X02.
- **Module C** For **cross-section interviews 18 Jul–19 Dec 00 and post-debate reinterviews**, respondents were assigned in random halves to module C1 or C2. Assignment is recorded in X03.
- **Module D** For **cross-section interviews 18 Jul–19 Dec 00 and post-convention reinterviews**, respondents were assigned in random halves to module D1 or D2. Assignment is recorded in X04.
- **Module E** For **cross-section interviews 8 Sep–19 Dec 00 and post-debate and post-general election reinterviews**, respondents were assigned in random halves to module E1 or E2. Assignment is recorded in X05.
- **Module F** For **cross-section interviews 2 Oct–19 Dec 00 and post-debate reinterviews**, respondents were assigned in random halves to module F1 or F2. Assignment is recorded in X06.

Question module summary tables

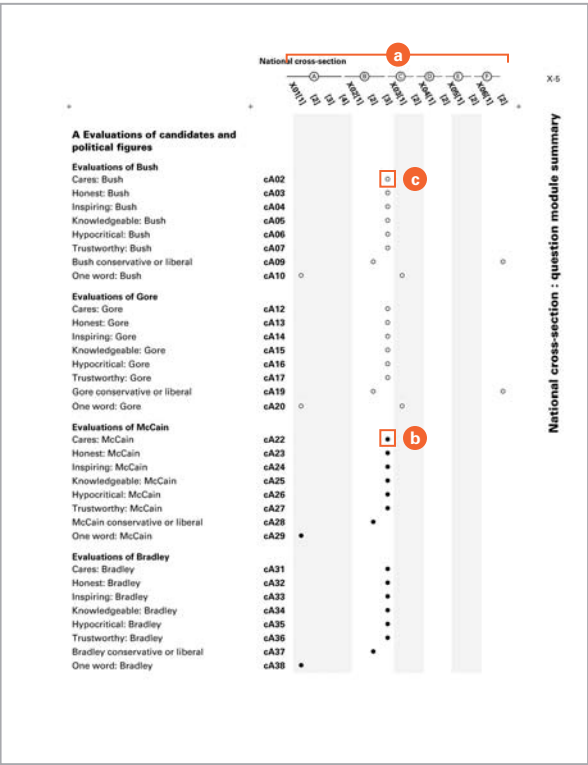
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cX01**Random assignment to question module A**

Q28

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS

- 1 Module A1
- 2 Module A2
- 3 Module A3
- 4 Module A4

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cX02**Random assignment to question module B**

Q29

Nat CS 14 Dec 99–17 Jul 00; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS;
Sec CS

- 1 Module B1
- 2 Module B2
- 3 Module B3

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rX02**Random assignment to question module B**

Q29

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint

- 1 Module B1
- 2 Module B2
- 3 Module B3

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cX03**Random assignment to question module C**

Q30

Nat CS 18 Jul–19 Dec 00

- 1 Module C1
- 2 Module C2

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rX03**Random assignment to question module C**

Q30

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint

- 1 Module C1
- 2 Module C2

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cX04**Random assignment to question module D**

Q31

Nat CS 18 Jul–19 Dec 00

- 1 Module D1
- 2 Module D2

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rX04**Random assignment to question module D**

Q31

GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint

- 1 Module D1
- 2 Module D2

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cX05**Random assignment to question module E**

Q32

Nat CS 8 Sep–19 Dec 00

- 1 Module E1
- 2 Module E2

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rX05**Random assignment to question module E**

Q32

3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint;
Elect Reint

- 1 Module E1
- 2 Module E2

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Random assignment to question modules : variable detail

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		cX06		rX06	
		Random assignment to question module F		Random assignment to question module F	
		Q33		Q33	
		Nat CS 2 Oct–19 Dec 00		3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint	
		1 Module F1		1 Module F1	
		2 Module F2		2 Module F2	
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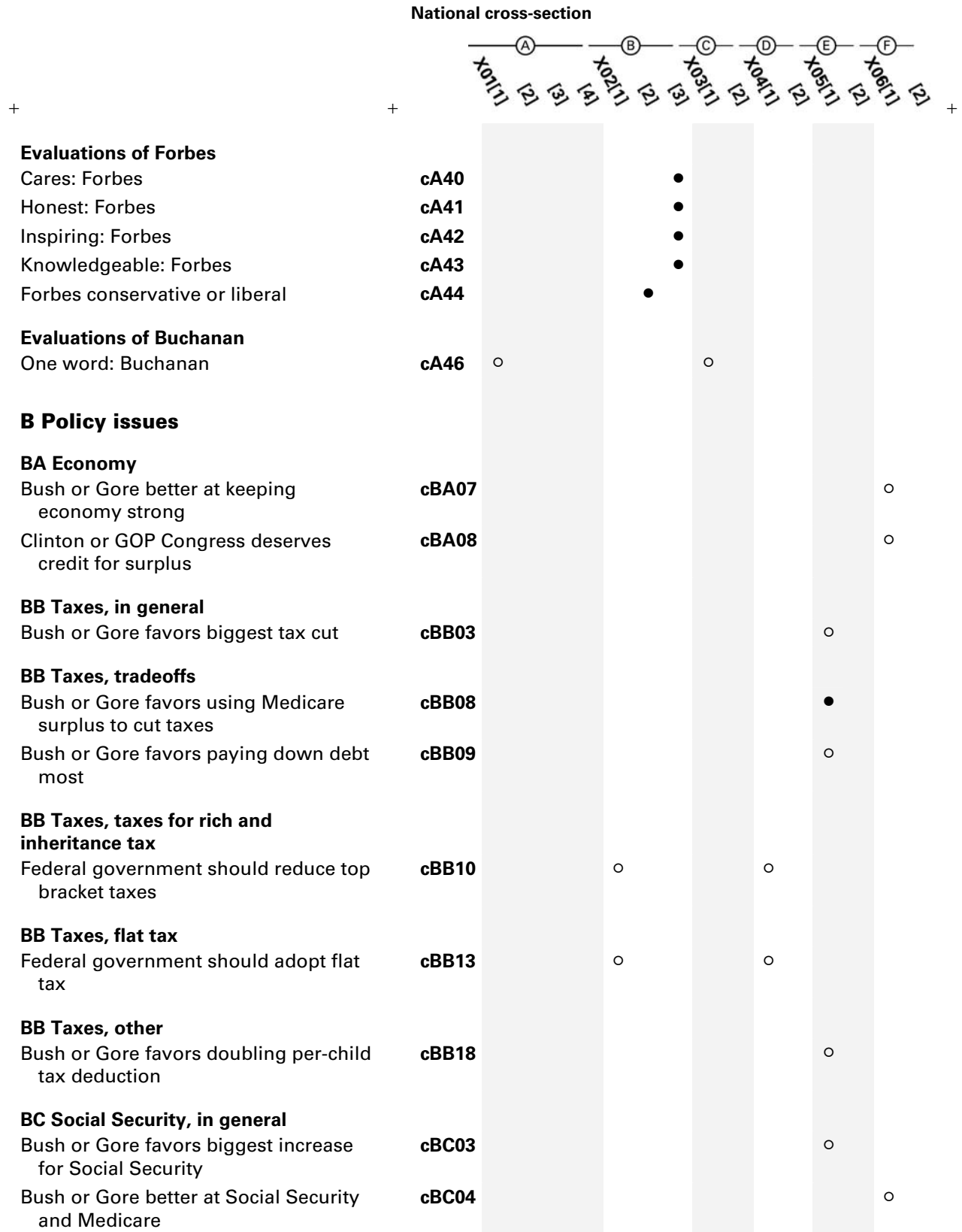
Evaluations of Bush

Country	cA02 (Children)	cA03 (Children under 18)
Algeria	~1.5	~1.5
Algeria	~2.5	~2.5
Algeria	~3.5	~3.5
Algeria	~4.5	~4.5
Algeria	~5.5	~5.5
Algeria	~6.5	~6.5
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Algeria	~10.5	~10.5
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Algeria	~12.5	~12.5
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Algeria	~101.5	~101.5
Algeria	~102.5	~102.5
Algeria	~103.5	~103.5
Algeria	~104.5	

Category	Sub-category	Value
cA12		0
cA13		0
cA14		0
cA15		0
cA16		0
cA17		0
cA19		0
cA20		0

Sample	Reads (approx.)
cA22	90
cA23	95
cA24	95
cA25	95
cA26	95
cA27	95
cA28	50
cA29	10

Category	Value
cA31	0.00
cA32	0.00
cA33	0.00
cA34	0.00
cA35	0.00
cA36	0.00
cA37	0.00
cA38	0.00



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National cross-section

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		A	B	C	D	E	F
		X01[1]	X02[1]	X03[1]	X04[1]	X05[1]	X06[1]
		[2]	[2]	[3]	[2]	[2]	[2]
		[3]	[4]				
BJ National defense, missile defense							
Federal government should spend on missile defense	cBJ03		○		○		
BJ National defense, scope of military							
Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars	cBJ08		○		○		
BJ National defense, other							
Bush or Gore better at handling Middle East	cBJ09						●
BK Immigration							
Immigration a problem	cBK01		○		○		
BL Gay rights, gays in military							
Favor gays in military	cBL01						○
Bush favors gays in military	cBL02						○
Gore favors gays in military	cBL03						○
BM Other civil rights							
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02		○		○		
BN Energy							
Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN01					●	
Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN02					●	
Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN03					●	
BP Poverty							
Federal government should reduce income differences	cBP02		○		○		
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03		○		○		
BS Environment							
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01		○		○		
BT Other							
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01		○		○		
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02		○		○		

National cross-section

		A	B	C	D	E	F	
		X01[1]	X02[1]	X03[1]	X04[1]	X05[1]	X06[1]	
		[2]	[2]	[3]	[2]	[2]	[2]	
		[3]	[4]					
+	Federal government should allow school prayer							+
	cBT03							
	Random assignment and order							
	Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09							
	cBZ03							
	Random response order for BD05, BD06							
	cBZ04							
	Random response order for BF09, BF10							
	cBZ05							
	Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03							
	cBZ06							
	Random response order for BN02, BN03							
	cBZ07							
	C Evaluations of groups							
	Favorability: labor unions							
	cC01							
	Favorability: corporations							
	cC02							
	Favorability: drug companies							
	cC03							
	Favorability: feminist movement							
	cC04							
	Favorability: homosexuals							
	cC05							
	Favorability: Christian fundamentalists							
	cC06							
	Favorability: NRA							
	cC07							
	Favorability: Protestants							
	cC10							
	Favorability: Catholics							
	cC11							
	Favorability: Jews							
	cC12							
	D Candidates' biographies							
	Biography: Bush, Gore							
	Bush or Gore is governor							
	cD10							
	Bush or Gore was senator							
	cD11							
	Bush or Gore is son of former senator							
	cD12							
	Bush or Gore served in Vietnam							
	cD13							
	Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University							
	cD14							
	Bush or Gore is born-again Christian							
	cD15							
	J Contact with presidential campaigns							
	Contacted by campaign							
	Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign							
	cJ01							

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Displayed sign					
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25		○		○
L Evaluations of campaign discourse					
Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	○		○	
Candidates talking about issues	cL02		●		
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	○		○	
Presidential candidates self-promoting	cL04	○		○	
Grade for presidential candidates campaigning responsibly	cL05	●			
Presidential campaign more negative than past	cL06			●	
Bush or Gore campaign more negative	cL07			●	
Would not vote for candidate who campaigned negatively	cL08			●	
Grade for news media reporting on presidential campaign	cL09	●			
Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL10	○		○	
M Orientation to government					
Trust federal government	cM01		○	○	
Candidates say what public wants to hear or what is best for country	cM08	●			
Candidates say what they will do if elected	cM09	●			
Presidents keep campaign promises	cM10	○		○	
Candidates vote way contributors want or to best serve country	cM11	●			
Government run for few interests or benefit of all	cM13			○	
People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates	cM15	○		○	
People like me have no say over who is president	cM16	○		○	
Presidential elections too complicated to understand	cM17	○		○	
Differences between GOP and Democrats	cM21			○	

National cross-section

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P Presidential candidate endorsements

General election presidential endorsements

AFT endorsement for president in general election

cP13

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Labor endorsement for president in general election

cP16

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Environmental endorsement for president in general election

cP17

○

NRLC endorsement for president in general election

cP18

○

NRA endorsement for president in general election

cP19

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Perot endorsement for president in general election

cP20

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Billy Graham endorsement for president in general election

cP22

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R Voting behavior and general attitudes

Gender in politics

More likely to vote for GOP president if ran with Dole

cR52

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More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate

cR53

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More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate

cR54

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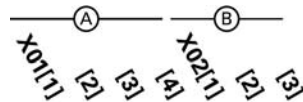
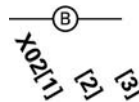
Male or female president better at most important issue

cR55

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	IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section							IA post-primary reinterview		
A Evaluations of candidates and political figures										
Evaluations of Bush										
Cares: Bush	cA02							•	rA02	• •
Honest: Bush	cA03							•	rA03	• •
Inspiring: Bush	cA04							•	rA04	• •
Knowledgeable: Bush	cA05							•	rA05	• •
Hypocritical: Bush	cA06							•		
Bush conservative or liberal	cA09							•		
One word: Bush	cA10	•								
Evaluations of Gore										
Cares: Gore	cA12							•	rA12	• •
Honest: Gore	cA13							•	rA13	• •
Inspiring: Gore	cA14							•	rA14	• •
Knowledgeable: Gore	cA15							•	rA15	• •
Hypocritical: Gore	cA16							•		
Gore conservative or liberal	cA19							•		
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	BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights									
	Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15				•		rBE15	•	•
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Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars	cBJ08					•		rBJ08	• •		
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BM Other civil rights											
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02					•		rBM02	• •		
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BS Environment											
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Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	•						
Candidates talking about issues	cL02			•				
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	•						
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Grade for news media reporting on presidential campaign	cL09	•						

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Learned enough about presidential candidates

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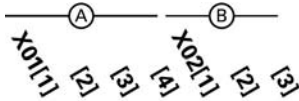
Gender in politics

More likely to vote for GOP president if ran with Dole

Male or female president better at most important issue

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IA pre-presidential primary election cross-section



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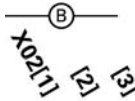
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Federal government should spend on missile defense	cBJ03		•	rBJ03	•	•	
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Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03		•	rBP03	•	•	
BS Environment							
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Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01		•	rBT01	•	•	
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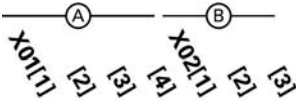
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Gender in politics

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NH pre-presidential primary
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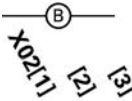
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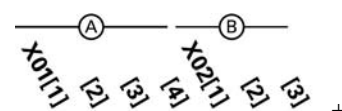
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Bradley conservative or liberal
One word: Bradley

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Evaluations of Buchanan

One word: Buchanan

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B Policy issues**BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax**

Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes

cBB10

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Federal government should adopt flat tax

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BD Education, other

Federal government should spend on spending on schools

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BE Health insurance, in general

Americans without health insurance a problem

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BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions

Federal government should spend on Medicare

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BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights

Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights

cBE15

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BE Health insurance, other

Federal government should spend on Medicaid

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BF Abortion, in general

Federal government should ban abortion

cBF03

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BG Crime, other

Drug use a problem

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BH Money in politics, public campaign financing

Federal government should spend on public campaign financing

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BJ National defense, missile defense

Federal government should spend on missile defense

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BJ National defense, scope of military

Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars

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BK Immigration

Immigration a problem

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Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women

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Federal government should reduce income differences

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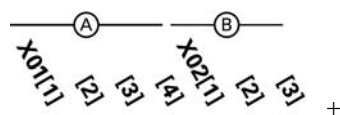
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Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03			•
BS Environment				
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01			•
BT Other				
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01			•
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02			•
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03			•
C Evaluations of groups				
Favorability: labor unions	cC01			•
Favorability: corporations	cC02			•
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04			•
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05			•
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06			•
J Contact with presidential campaigns				
Contacted by campaign				
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01			•
Contacted by group other than campaign				
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05			•
Received brochures				
Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09			•
Attended meeting with presidential candidate				
Attended meeting with presidential candidate in campaign	cJ13			•
Personally met presidential candidate				
Personally met presidential candidate in campaign	cJ15			•
K Political participation				
Advocated voting				
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13			•
Attending meeting for presidential candidate				
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16			•
Did other work				
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19			•

Second Tuesday states pre-presidential primary election cross-section



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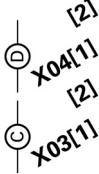
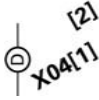
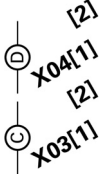

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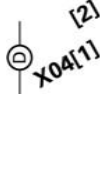



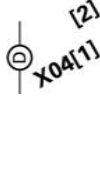


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A Evaluations of candidates and political figures					
Evaluations of Bush					
One word: Bush	cA10	•			
Evaluations of Gore					
One word: Gore	cA20	•			
Evaluations of Buchanan					
One word: Buchanan	cA46	•			
B Policy issues					
BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax					
Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes	cBB10	•	rBB10	cBB10	rBB10
BB Taxes, flat tax					
Federal government should adopt flat tax	cBB13	•	rBB13	cBB13	rBB13
BD Education, other					
Federal government should spend on spending on schools	cBD09	•	rBD09	cBD09	rBD09
BE Health insurance, in general					
Americans without health insurance a problem	cBE01	•	rBE01	cBE01	rBE01
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions					
Federal government should spend on Medicare	cBE04	•	rBE04	cBE04	rBE04

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BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights					
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights					
BE Health insurance, other					
Federal government should spend on Medicaid					
BF Abortion, in general					
Federal government should ban abortion					
BG Crime, other					
Drug use a problem					
BH Money in politics, public campaign financing					
Federal government should spend on public campaign financing					
BJ National defense, missile defense					
Federal government should spend on missile defense					
BJ National defense, scope of military					
Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars					
BK Immigration					
Immigration a problem					
BM Other civil rights					
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women					

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		 X03[1]	 X04[1]	 X03[1]	 X04[1]
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BP Poverty					
Federal government should reduce income differences		cBP02	rBP02	cBP02	rBP02
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children		cBP03	rBP03	cBP03	rBP03
BS Environment					
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment		cBS01	rBS01	cBS01	rBS01
BT Other					
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations		cBT01	rBT01	cBT01	rBT01
Job loss to foreign competition a problem		cBT02	rBT02	cBT02	rBT02
Federal government should allow school prayer		cBT03	rBT03	cBT03	rBT03
C Evaluations of groups					
Favorability: labor unions				cC01	
Favorability: corporations				cC02	
Favorability: drug companies				cC03	
Favorability: feminist movement				cC04	
Favorability: homosexuals				cC05	
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists				cC06	
Favorability: NRA				cC07	
Favorability: Protestants				cC10	
Favorability: Catholics				cC11	
Favorability: Jews				cC12	

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J Contact with presidential campaigns					
Contacted by campaign					
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01	• rJ01	• cJ01	• rJ01	•
Contacted by group other than campaign					
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05	• rJ05	• cJ05	• rJ05	•
Received brochures					
Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09	• rJ09	• cJ09	• rJ09	•
K Political participation					
Advocated voting					
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13	• rK13	• cK13	• rK13	•
Attending meeting for presidential candidate					
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16	• rK16	• cK16	• rK16	•
Did other work					
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19	• rK19	• cK19	• rK19	•
Gave money					
Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	cK22	• rK22	• cK22	• rK22	•
Displayed sign					
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25	• rK25	• cK25	• rK25	•

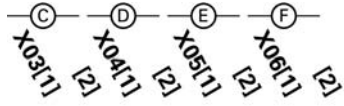
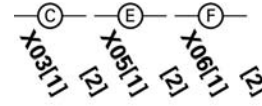
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A Evaluations of candidates and political figures										
Evaluations of Bush										
Bush conservative or liberal	cA09				○	rA09			●	
Evaluations of Gore										
Gore conservative or liberal	cA19				○	rA19			●	
B Policy issues										
BA Economy										
Bush or Gore better at keeping economy strong	cBA07				○	rBA07			●	
Clinton or GOP Congress deserves credit for surplus	cBA08				○	rBA08			●	
BB Taxes, in general										
Bush or Gore favors biggest tax cut	cBB03			○		rBB03	●			
BB Taxes, tradeoffs										
Bush or Gore favors using Medicare surplus to cut taxes	cBB08			●		rBB08	●			
Bush or Gore favors paying down debt most	cBB09			○		rBB09	●			
BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax										
Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes	cBB10		●							
BB Taxes, flat tax										
Federal government should adopt flat tax	cBB13		●							
BB Taxes, other										
Bush or Gore favors doubling per-child tax deduction	cBB18			○		rBB18	●			
BC Social Security, in general										
Bush or Gore favors biggest increase for Social Security	cBC03			○		rBC03	●			
Bush or Gore better at Social Security and Medicare	cBC04				○	rBC04			●	

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BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market									
Favor investing Social Security in stock market	cBC05			●		rBC05		●	
Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC07			●		rBC07		●	
Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC08			●		rBC08		●	
BD Education, school vouchers									
Bush favors school vouchers	cBD05			●		rBD05		●	
Gore favors school vouchers	cBD06			●		rBD06		●	
BD Education, other									
Federal government should spend on spending on schools	cBD09		●						
Bush or Gore better at education	cBD11				○	rBD11			●
BE Health insurance, in general									
Americans without health insurance a problem	cBE01		●						
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions									
Federal government should spend on Medicare	cBE04		●						
Position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE05			○		rBE05		●	
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE06			○		rBE06		●	
Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE07			○		rBE07		●	
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children									
Favor universal health care for children	cBE08			●		rBE08		●	
Bush favors universal health care for children	cBE09			●		rBE09		●	
Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE10			●		rBE10		●	
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care									
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care	cBE13			○		rBE13		●	

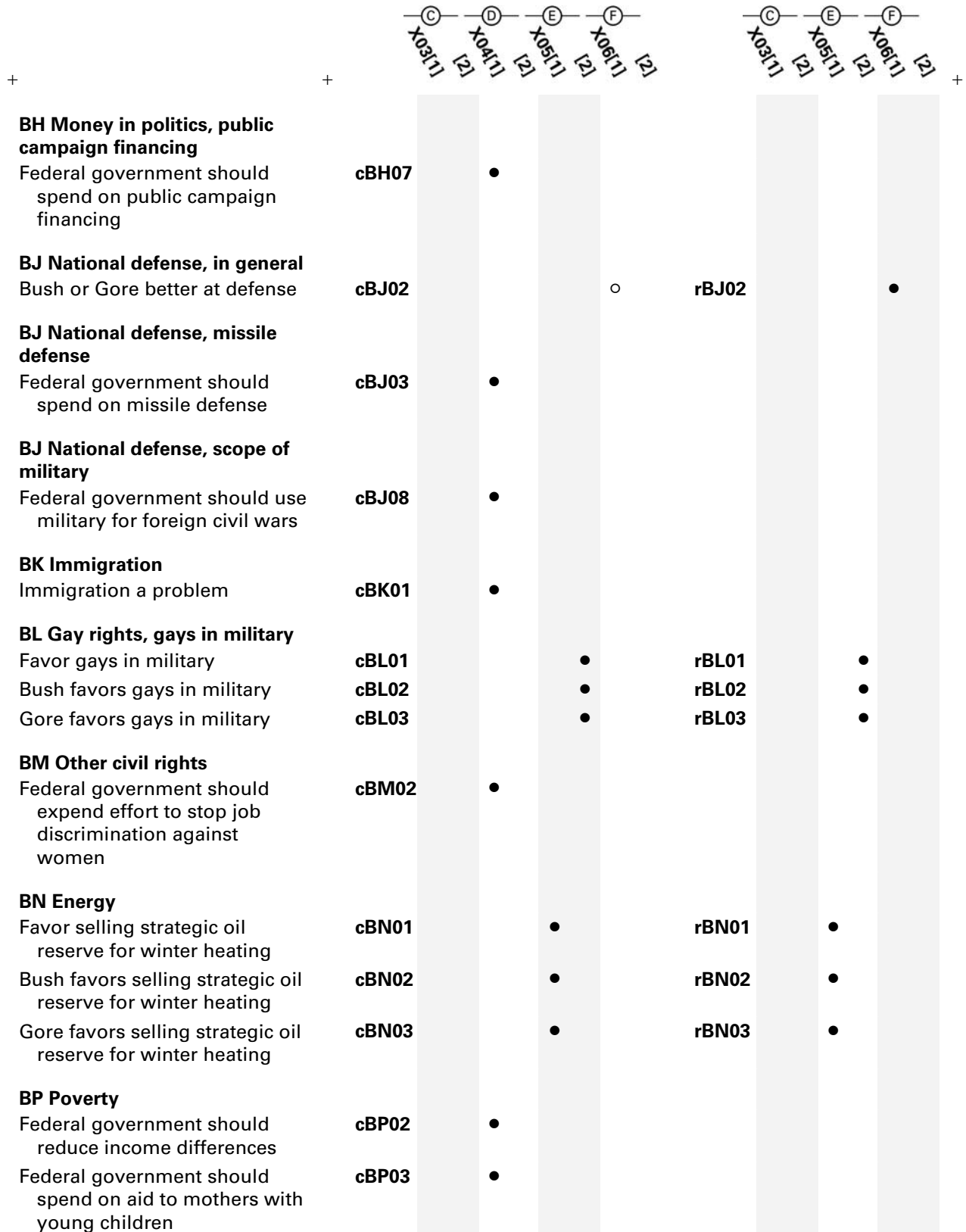
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BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights					
Favor right to sue HMOs	cBE14		●	rBE14	●
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15	●			
Bush favors right to sue HMOs	cBE18		●	rBE18	●
Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE19		●	rBE19	●
BE Health insurance, other					
Federal government should spend on Medicaid	cBE21	●			
BF Abortion, in general					
Federal government should ban abortion	cBF03	●			
Bush favors restricting abortion	cBF09		●	rBF09	●
Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF10		●	rBF10	●
BF Abortion, RU-486					
Favor sale of RU-486	cBF13		●	rBF13	●
Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486	cBF14		●	rBF14	●
BG Crime, death penalty					
Favor death penalty	cBG01		●	rBG01	●
Bush favors death penalty	cBG02		●	rBG02	●
Gore favors death penalty	cBG03		●	rBG03	●
BG Crime, gun control					
Favor handgun licenses	cBG05		●	rBG05	●
Bush favors handgun licenses	cBG08		●	rBG08	●
Gore favors handgun licenses	cBG09		●	rBG09	●
Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law	cBG11		○	rBG11	●
BG Crime, other					
Drug use a problem	cBG13	●			
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban					
Favor soft money ban	cBH02		●	rBH02	●
Bush favors soft money ban	cBH04		●	rBH04	●
Gore favors soft money ban	cBH05		●	rBH05	●

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BS Environment										
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01		●							
BT Other										
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01		●							
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02		●							
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03		●							
Random assignment and order										
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09	cBZ03			●		rBZ03		●		
Random response order for BD05, BD06	cBZ04			●		rBZ04			●	
Random response order for BF09, BF10	cBZ05			●		rBZ05		●		
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03	cBZ06			●		rBZ06			●	
Random response order for BN02, BN03	cBZ07			●		rBZ07		●		
C Evaluations of groups										
Favorability: labor unions	cC01	●								
Favorability: corporations	cC02	●								
Favorability: drug companies	cC03	●								
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04	●								
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05	●								
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06	●								
Favorability: NRA	cC07	●								
Favorability: Protestants	cC10	●								
Favorability: Catholics	cC11	●								
Favorability: Jews	cC12	●								
D Candidates' biographies										
Biography: Bush, Gore										
Bush or Gore is governor	cD10			○		rD10		●		

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Bush or Gore was senator	cD11				○		rD11		●
Bush or Gore is son of former senator	cD12			○			rD12	●	
Bush or Gore served in Vietnam	cD13			○			rD13	●	
Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University	cD14				○		rD14		●
Bush or Gore is born-again Christian	cD15			○			rD15	●	
J Contact with presidential campaigns									
Contacted by campaign									
Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01			●					
Contacted by group other than campaign									
Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05			●					
Received brochures									
Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09			●					
K Political participation									
Discussed politics with family or friends									
Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05					○	rK05		●
Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week	cK07					○	rK07		●
Discussed politics at work or online									
Discussed politics at work or online in past week	cK09					○	rK09		●
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week	cK11					○	rK11		●

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Advocated voting					
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13		•		
Attending meeting for presidential candidate					
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16		•		
Did other work					
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19		•		
Gave money					
Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	cK22		•		
Displayed sign					
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25		•		
L Evaluations of campaign discourse					
Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	•		rL01	•
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	•		rL03	•
Presidential candidates self-promoting	cL04	•		rL04	•
Presidential campaign more negative than past	cL06	•			
Bush or Gore campaign more negative	cL07	•		rL07	•
Would not vote for candidate who campaigned negatively	cL08	•			
Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL10	•		rL10	•
M Orientation to government					
Trust federal government	cM01	•		rM01	•
Presidents keep campaign promises	cM10	•		rM10	•

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People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates	cM15	●					rM15	●				
People like me have no say over who is president	cM16	●					rM16	●				
Presidential elections too complicated to understand	cM17	●					rM17	●				
P Presidential candidate endorsements												
General election presidential endorsements												
AFT endorsement for president in general election	cP13					○	rP13				●	
Labor endorsement for president in general election	cP16					○	rP16				●	
Environmental endorsement for president in general election	cP17					○	rP17				●	
NRLC endorsement for president in general election	cP18					○	rP18				●	
NRA endorsement for president in general election	cP19					○	rP19				●	

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BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market									
Favor investing Social Security in stock market	cBC05			●		rBC05	●		
Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC07			●		rBC07	●		
Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC08			●		rBC08	●		
BD Education, school vouchers									
Bush favors school vouchers	cBD05			●		rBD05		●	
Gore favors school vouchers	cBD06			●		rBD06		●	
BD Education, other									
Federal government should spend on spending on schools	cBD09		●						
Bush or Gore better at education	cBD11				●	rBD11			●
BE Health insurance, in general									
Americans without health insurance a problem	cBE01		●						
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions									
Federal government should spend on Medicare	cBE04		●						
Position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE05			●		rBE05	●		
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE06			●		rBE06	●		
Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE07			●		rBE07	●		
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children									
Favor universal health care for children	cBE08			●		rBE08	●		
Bush favors universal health care for children	cBE09			●		rBE09	●		
Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE10			●		rBE10	●		
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care									
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care	cBE13			●		rBE13	●		

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BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights											
Favor right to sue HMOs	cBE14			•		rBE14		•			
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15		•								
Bush favors right to sue HMOs	cBE18			•		rBE18		•			
Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE19			•		rBE19		•			
BE Health insurance, other											
Federal government should spend on Medicaid	cBE21		•								
BF Abortion, in general											
Federal government should ban abortion	cBF03		•								
Bush favors restricting abortion	cBF09			•		rBF09		•			
Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF10			•		rBF10		•			
BF Abortion, RU-486											
Favor sale of RU-486	cBF13			•		rBF13		•			
Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486	cBF14			•		rBF14		•			
BG Crime, death penalty											
Favor death penalty	cBG01			•		rBG01			•		
Bush favors death penalty	cBG02			•		rBG02			•		
Gore favors death penalty	cBG03			•		rBG03			•		
BG Crime, gun control											
Favor handgun licenses	cBG05			•		rBG05		•			
Bush favors handgun licenses	cBG08			•		rBG08		•			
Gore favors handgun licenses	cBG09			•		rBG09		•			
Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law	cBG11			•		rBG11		•			
BG Crime, other											
Drug use a problem	cBG13		•								
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban											
Favor soft money ban	cBH02			•		rBH02			•		
Bush favors soft money ban	cBH04			•		rBH04			•		
Gore favors soft money ban	cBH05			•		rBH05			•		

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BH Money in politics, public campaign financing									
Federal government should spend on public campaign financing	cBH07	•							
BJ National defense, in general									
Bush or Gore better at defense	cBJ02			•		rBJ02		•	
BJ National defense, missile defense									
Federal government should spend on missile defense	cBJ03	•							
BJ National defense, scope of military									
Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars	cBJ08	•							
BK Immigration									
Immigration a problem	cBK01	•							
BL Gay rights, gays in military									
Favor gays in military	cBL01			•		rBL01		•	
Bush favors gays in military	cBL02			•		rBL02		•	
Gore favors gays in military	cBL03			•		rBL03		•	
BM Other civil rights									
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02	•							
BN Energy									
Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN01			•		rBN01		•	
Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN02			•		rBN02		•	
Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN03			•		rBN03		•	
BP Poverty									
Federal government should reduce income differences	cBP02	•							
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03	•							

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BS Environment				
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01	•		
BT Other				
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01	•		
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02	•		
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03	•		
Random assignment and order				
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09	cBZ03	•	rBZ03	•
Random response order for BD05, BD06	cBZ04	•	rBZ04	•
Random response order for BF09, BF10	cBZ05	•	rBZ05	•
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03	cBZ06	•	rBZ06	•
Random response order for BN02, BN03	cBZ07	•	rBZ07	•
C Evaluations of groups				
Favorability: labor unions	cC01	•		
Favorability: corporations	cC02	•		
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04	•		
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05	•		
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06	•		
Favorability: NRA	cC07	•		
Favorability: Protestants	cC10	•		
Favorability: Catholics	cC11	•		
Favorability: Jews	cC12	•		
D Candidates' biographies				
Biography: Bush, Gore				
Bush or Gore is governor	cD10	•	rD10	•
Bush or Gore was senator	cD11	•	rD11	•

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	Bush or Gore is son of former senator	cD12			●		rD12		●		
	Bush or Gore served in Vietnam	cD13			●		rD13		●		
	Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University	cD14				●	rD14			●	
	Bush or Gore is born-again Christian	cD15			●		rD15		●		
J Contact with presidential campaigns											
Contacted by campaign											
	Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01			●						
Contacted by group other than campaign											
	Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05			●						
Received brochures											
	Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09			●						
K Political participation											
Discussed politics with family or friends											
	Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05				●	rK05				●
	Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week	cK07				●	rK07				●
Discussed politics at work or online											
	Discussed politics at work or online in past week	cK09				●	rK09				●
	Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week	cK11				●	rK11				●
Advocated voting											
	Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13			●						

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Attending meeting for presidential candidate					
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16		•		
Did other work					
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19		•		
Gave money					
Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	cK22		•		
Displayed sign					
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25		•		
L Evaluations of campaign discourse					
Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	•		rL01	•
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	•		rL03	•
Presidential candidates self-promoting	cL04	•		rL04	•
Bush or Gore campaign more negative	cL07	•		rL07	•
Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL10	•		rL10	•
M Orientation to government					
Trust federal government	cM01	•		rM01	•
Presidents keep campaign promises	cM10	•		rM10	•
People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates	cM15	•		rM15	•
People like me have no say over who is president	cM16	•		rM16	•
Presidential elections too complicated to understand	cM17	•		rM17	•

	National cross-section pre-11 Oct Bush-Gore debate				Post-11 Oct debate reinterview			
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P Presidential candidate endorsements								
General election presidential endorsements								
AFT endorsement for president in general election	cP13				•	rP13		•
Labor endorsement for president in general election	cP16				•	rP16		•
Environmental endorsement for president in general election	cP17				•	rP17		•
NRLC endorsement for president in general election	cP18				•	rP18		•
NRA endorsement for president in general election	cP19				•	rP19		•

National cross-section pre-17 Oct
Bush-Gore debate

Post-17 Oct debate reinterview

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A Evaluations of candidates and political figures									
Evaluations of Bush									
Bush conservative or liberal	cA09				○	rA09			●
One word: Bush	cA10	●							
Evaluations of Gore									
Gore conservative or liberal	cA19				○	rA19			●
One word: Gore	cA20	●							
Evaluations of Buchanan									
One word: Buchanan	cA46	●							
B Policy issues									
BA Economy									
Bush or Gore better at keeping economy strong	cBA07				●	rBA07			●
Clinton or GOP Congress deserves credit for surplus	cBA08				●	rBA08			●
BB Taxes, in general									
Bush or Gore favors biggest tax cut	cBB03			○		rBB03		●	
BB Taxes, tradeoffs									
Bush or Gore favors using Medicare surplus to cut taxes	cBB08			●		rBB08		●	
Bush or Gore favors paying down debt most	cBB09			●		rBB09		●	
BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax									
Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes	cBB10		●						
BB Taxes, flat tax									
Federal government should adopt flat tax	cBB13		●						
BB Taxes, other									
Bush or Gore favors doubling per-child tax deduction	cBB18			●		rBB18		●	

	National cross-section pre-17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				Post-17 Oct debate reinterview			
BC Social Security, in general								
Bush or Gore favors biggest increase for Social Security	cBC03		○		rBC03	●		
Bush or Gore better at Social Security and Medicare	cBC04			●	rBC04		●	
BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market								
Favor investing Social Security in stock market	cBC05		○		rBC05	●		
Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC07		○		rBC07	●		
Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market	cBC08		○		rBC08	●		
BD Education, school vouchers								
Bush favors school vouchers	cBD05		○		rBD05		●	
Gore favors school vouchers	cBD06		○		rBD06		●	
BD Education, other								
Federal government should spend on spending on schools	cBD09	●						
Bush or Gore better at education	cBD11			●	rBD11		●	
BE Health insurance, in general								
Americans without health insurance a problem	cBE01	●						
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions								
Federal government should spend on Medicare	cBE04	●						
Position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE05		○		rBE05	●		
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE06		○		rBE06	●		
Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors	cBE07		○		rBE07	●		
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children								
Favor universal health care for children	cBE08		○		rBE08	●		
Bush favors universal health care for children	cBE09		○		rBE09	●		

	National cross-section pre-17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				Post-17 Oct debate reinterview			
+ Gore favors universal health care for children	cBE10			○	rBE10	●		+
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care								
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care	cBE13			●	rBE13	●		
BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights								
Favor right to sue HMOs	cBE14			○	rBE14	●		
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights	cBE15	●						
Bush favors right to sue HMOs	cBE18			○	rBE18	●		
Gore favors right to sue HMOs	cBE19			○	rBE19	●		
BE Health insurance, other								
Federal government should spend on Medicaid	cBE21	●						
BF Abortion, in general								
Federal government should ban abortion	cBF03	●						
Bush favors restricting abortion	cBF09			○	rBF09	●		
Gore favors restricting abortion	cBF10			○	rBF10	●		
BF Abortion, RU-486								
Favor sale of RU-486	cBF13			●	rBF13	●		
Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486	cBF14			●	rBF14	●		
BG Crime, death penalty								
Favor death penalty	cBG01			○	rBG01	●		
Bush favors death penalty	cBG02			○	rBG02	●		
Gore favors death penalty	cBG03			○	rBG03	●		
BG Crime, gun control								
Favor handgun licenses	cBG05			○	rBG05	●		
Bush favors handgun licenses	cBG08			○	rBG08	●		
Gore favors handgun licenses	cBG09			○	rBG09	●		
Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law	cBG11			○	rBG11	●		
BG Crime, other								
Drug use a problem	cBG13	●						

	National cross-section pre-17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				Post-17 Oct debate reinterview			
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BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban								
Favor soft money ban	cBH02			○	rBH02		●	
Bush favors soft money ban	cBH04			○	rBH04		●	
Gore favors soft money ban	cBH05			○	rBH05		●	
BH Money in politics, public campaign financing								
Federal government should spend on public campaign financing	cBH07		●					
BJ National defense, in general								
Bush or Gore better at defense	cBJ02			●	rBJ02		●	
BJ National defense, missile defense								
Federal government should spend on missile defense	cBJ03		●					
BJ National defense, scope of military								
Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars	cBJ08		●					
BJ National defense, other								
Bush or Gore better at handling Middle East	cBJ09			●	rBJ09		●	
BK Immigration								
Immigration a problem	cBK01		●					
BL Gay rights, gays in military								
Favor gays in military	cBL01			○	rBL01		●	
Bush favors gays in military	cBL02			○	rBL02		●	
Gore favors gays in military	cBL03			○	rBL03		●	
BM Other civil rights								
Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women	cBM02		●					
BN Energy								
Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN01			●	rBN01		●	
Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN02			●	rBN02		●	

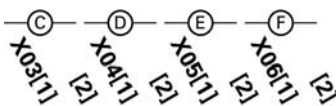
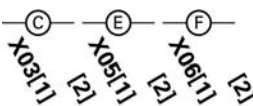
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Bush-Gore debate

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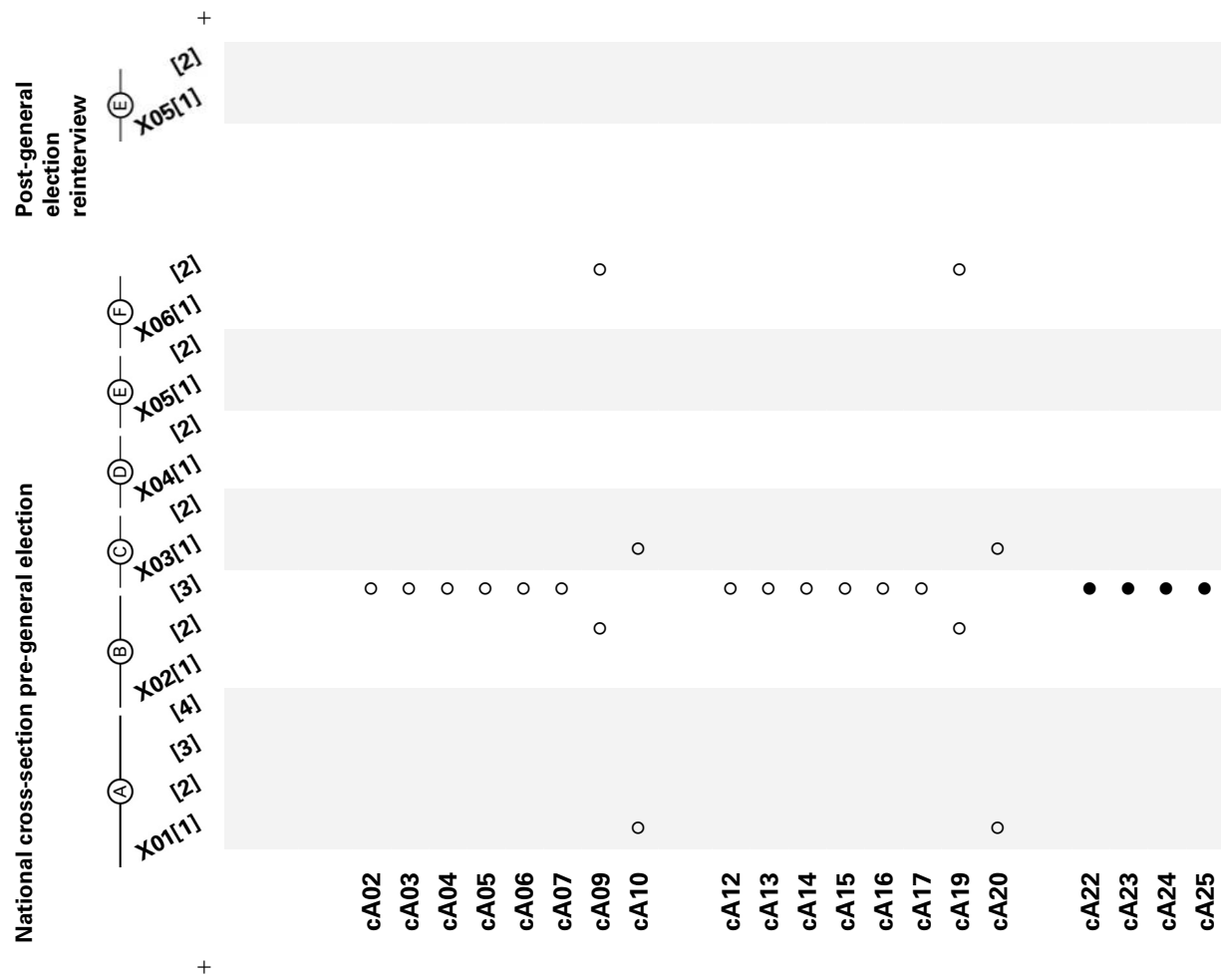
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Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating	cBN03		•	rBN03
BP Poverty				
Federal government should reduce income differences	cBP02	•		
Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03	•		
BS Environment				
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01	•		
BT Other				
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01	•		
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02	•		
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03	•		
Random assignment and order				
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09	cBZ03		•	rBZ03
Random response order for BD05, BD06	cBZ04		•	rBZ04
Random response order for BF09, BF10	cBZ05	•		rBZ05
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03	cBZ06		•	rBZ06
Random response order for BN02, BN03	cBZ07		•	rBZ07
C Evaluations of groups				
Favorability: labor unions	cC01	○		
Favorability: corporations	cC02	○		
Favorability: drug companies	cC03	○		
Favorability: feminist movement	cC04	○		
Favorability: homosexuals	cC05	○		
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists	cC06	○		

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	Favorability: NRA	cC07	○										
	Favorability: Protestants	cC10	●										
	Favorability: Catholics	cC11	●										
	Favorability: Jews	cC12	●										
D Candidates' biographies													
Biography: Bush, Gore													
	Bush or Gore is governor	cD10				○			rD10		●		
	Bush or Gore was senator	cD11				○			rD11		●		
	Bush or Gore is son of former senator	cD12				○			rD12		●		
	Bush or Gore served in Vietnam	cD13				●			rD13		●		
	Bush or Gore spoke at Bob Jones University	cD14				○			rD14		●		
	Bush or Gore is born-again Christian	cD15				○			rD15		●		
J Contact with presidential campaigns													
Contacted by campaign													
	Contacted by campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ01				●							
Contacted by group other than campaign													
	Contacted by group other than campaign about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ05				●							
Received brochures													
	Received brochures about presidential campaign in campaign	cJ09				●							
K Political participation													
Discussed politics with family or friends													
	Discussed politics with family or friends in past week	cK05						○	rK05			●	
	Disagreed when discussing politics with family or friends in past week	cK07						○	rK07			●	

	National cross-section pre-17 Oct Bush-Gore debate				Post-17 Oct debate reinterview			
								
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Discussed politics at work or online								
Discussed politics at work or online in past week	cK09				○	rK09		●
Disagreed when discussing politics at work or online in past week	cK11				○	rK11		●
Advocated voting								
Advocated voting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK13		●					
Attending meeting for presidential candidate								
Attended meeting for presidential candidate in campaign	cK16		●					
Did other work								
Did other work for presidential candidate in campaign	cK19		●					
Gave money								
Gave money to presidential candidate in campaign	cK22		●					
Displayed sign								
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25		●					
L Evaluations of campaign discourse								
Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	●				rL01	●	
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	●				rL03	●	
Presidential candidates self-promoting	cL04	●				rL04	●	
Bush or Gore campaign more negative	cL07	●				rL07	●	
Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL10	●				rL10	●	
M Orientation to government								
Trust federal government	cM01	●				rM01	●	

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	Presidents keep campaign promises	cM10	●					rM10	●			
	People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates	cM15	●					rM15	●			
	People like me have no say over who is president	cM16	●					rM16	●			
	Presidential elections too complicated to understand	cM17	●					rM17	●			
	P Presidential candidate endorsements											
	General election presidential endorsements											
	AFT endorsement for president in general election	cP13					○	rP13				●
	Labor endorsement for president in general election	cP16					●	rP16				●
	Environmental endorsement for president in general election	cP17					●	rP17				●
	NRLC endorsement for president in general election	cP18					●	rP18				●
	NRA endorsement for president in general election	cP19					●	rP19				●
	R Voting behavior and general attitudes											
	Gender in politics											
	More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate	cR53	●									
	More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate	cR54	●									



A Evaluations of candidates and political figures

Evaluations of Bush

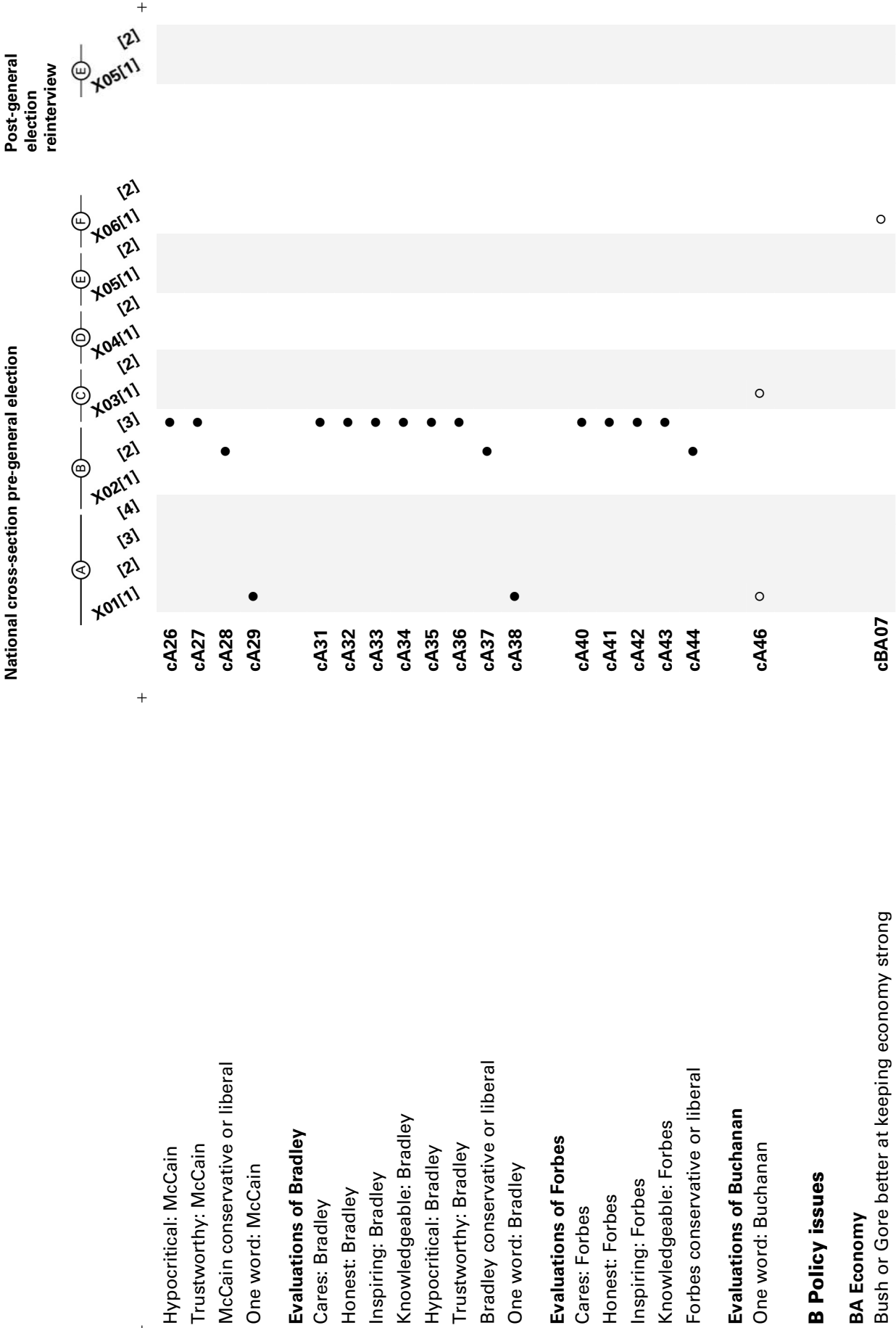
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- Hypocritical: Bush
- Trustworthy: Bush
- Bush conservative or liberal
- One word: Bush

Evaluations of Gore

- Cares: Gore
- Honest: Gore
- Inspiring: Gore
- Knowledgeable: Gore
- Hypocritical: Gore
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- Gore conservative or liberal
- One word: Gore

Evaluations of McCain

- Cares: McCain
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- Knowledgeable: McCain



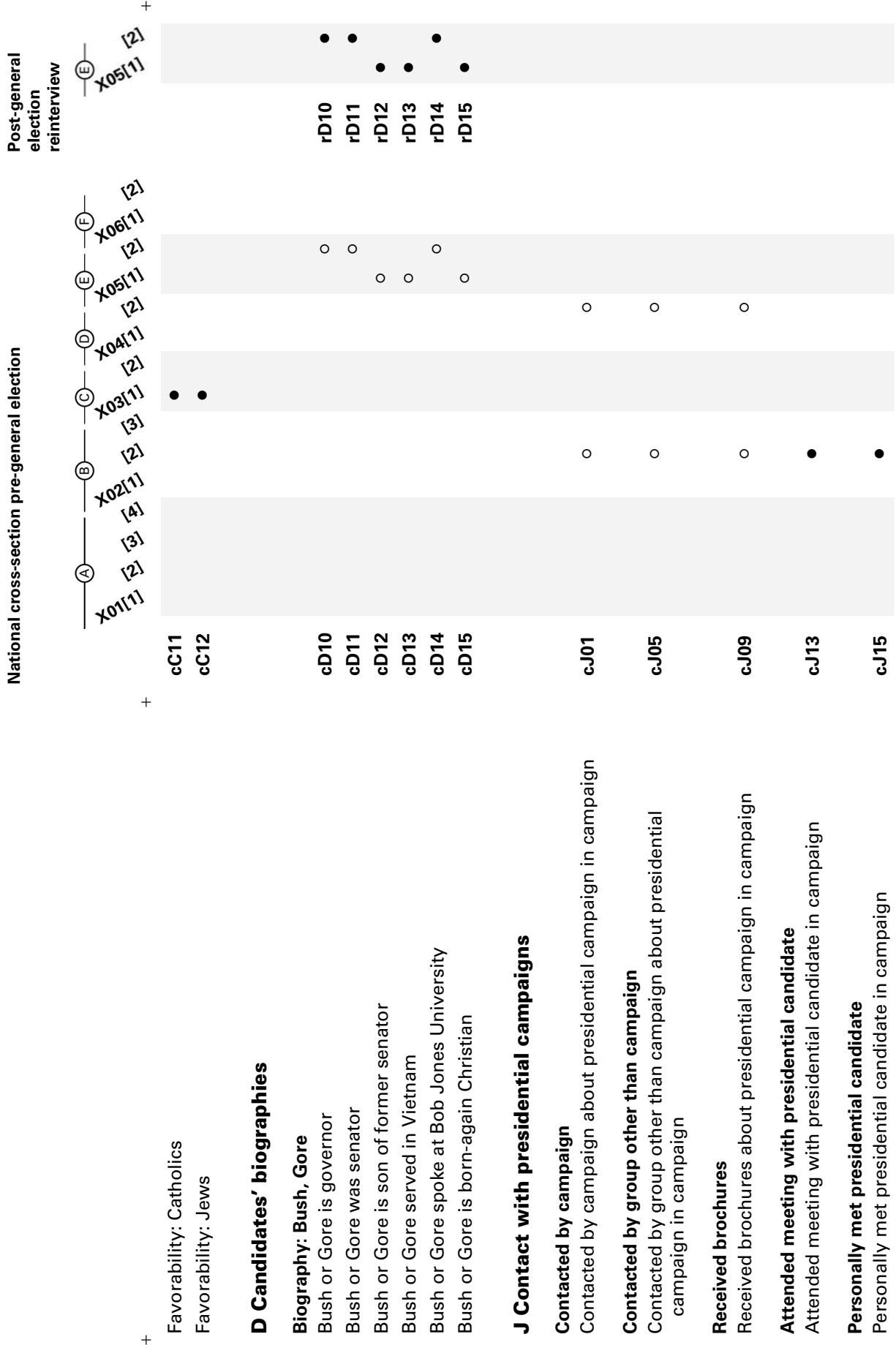
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	Clinton or GOP Congress deserves credit for surplus							
	BB Taxes, in general							
	Bush or Gore favors biggest tax cut							rBB03
	BB Taxes, tradeoffs							
	Bush or Gore favors using Medicare surplus to cut taxes							rBB08
	Bush or Gore favors paying down debt most							rBB09
	BB Taxes, taxes for rich and inheritance tax							
	Federal government should reduce top bracket taxes							
	BB Taxes, flat tax							
	Federal government should adopt flat tax							
	BB Taxes, other							
	Bush or Gore favors doubling per-child tax deduction							rBB18
	BC Social Security, in general							
	Bush or Gore favors biggest increase for Social Security							rBC03
	Bush or Gore better at Social Security and Medicare							
	BC Social Security, allowing investments in stock market							
	Favor investing Social Security in stock market							
	Bush favors investing Social Security in stock market							rBC07
	Gore favors investing Social Security in stock market							rBC08
	BD Education, school vouchers							
	Bush favors school vouchers							rBD05
	Gore favors school vouchers							rBD06

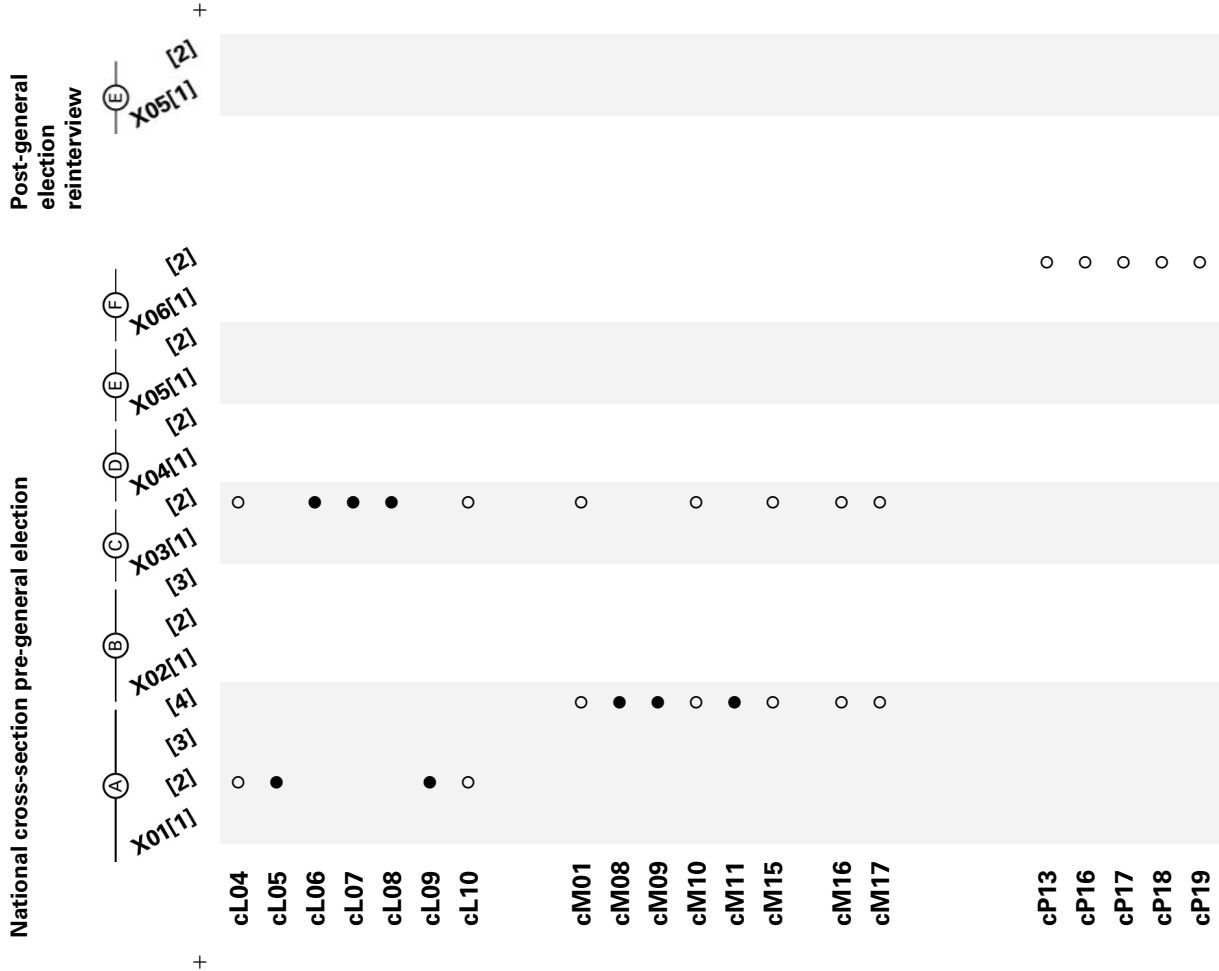
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BD Education, other							
Federal government should spend on spending on schools							
Bush or Gore better at education							
BE Health insurance, in general							
Americans without health insurance a problem							
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions							
Federal government should spend on Medicare							
Position on prescription coverage for seniors							
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors							
Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors							
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children							
Favor universal health care for children							
Bush favors universal health care for children							
Gore favors universal health care for children							
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care							
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care							
BE Health insurance, suing HMOs and patients' rights							
Favor right to sue HMOs							
Federal government should expend effort to protect patients' rights							
Bush favors right to sue HMOs							
Gore favors right to sue HMOs							
BE Health insurance, other							
Federal government should spend on Medicaid							
cBD09							
cBD11							
cBE01							
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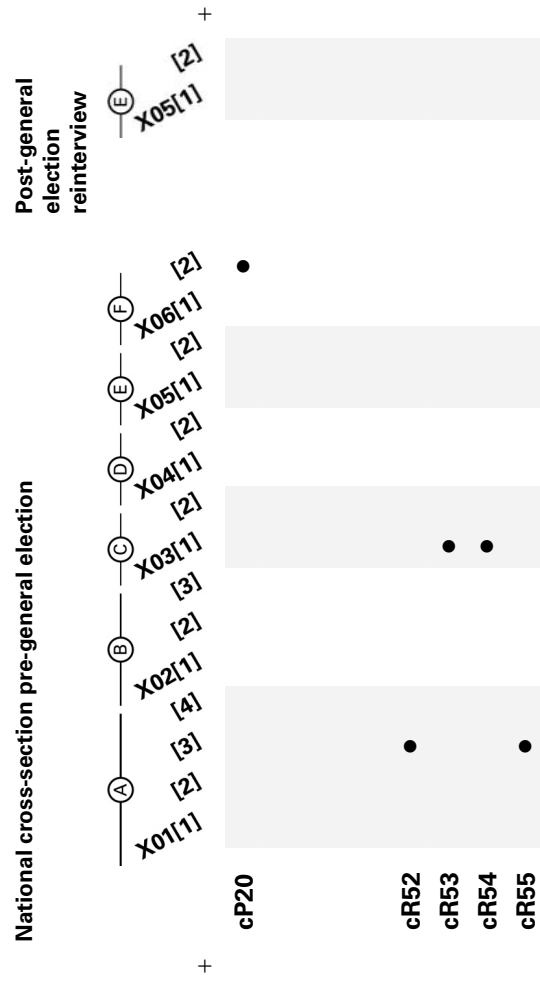
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BF Abortion, in general	Federal government should ban abortion							
	Bush favors restricting abortion							
	Gore favors restricting abortion							
BF Abortion, RU-486	Favor sale of RU-486							
	Bush or Gore opposes sale of RU-486							
BG Crime, death penalty	Favor death penalty							
	Bush favors death penalty							
	Gore favors death penalty							
BG Crime, gun control	Favor handgun licenses							
	Bush favors handgun licenses							
	Gore favors handgun licenses							
BG Crime, other	Bush or Gore supported concealed handgun law							
	Drug use a problem							
BH Money in politics, contribution limits and soft money ban	Favor soft money ban							
	Bush favors soft money ban							
	Gore favors soft money ban							
BH Money in politics, public campaign financing	Federal government should spend on public campaign financing							

	National cross-section pre-general election					Post-general election reinterview	
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BJ National defense, in general Bush or Gore better at defense							
BJ National defense, missile defense Federal government should spend on missile defense							
BJ National defense, scope of military Federal government should use military for foreign civil wars							
BJ National defense, other Bush or Gore better at handling Middle East							
BK Immigration Immigration a problem							
BL Gay rights, gays in military Favor gays in military							
Bush favors gays in military							
Gore favors gays in military							
BM Other civil rights Federal government should expend effort to stop job discrimination against women							
BN Energy Favor selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating							
Bush favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating							
Gore favors selling strategic oil reserve for winter heating							
BP Poverty Federal government should reduce income differences							

		National cross-section pre-general election					Post-general election reinterview	
		A	B	C	D	E	F	
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+ Federal government should spend on aid to mothers with young children	cBP03		o		o			
	cBS01		o		o			
	cBT01		o		o			
	cBT02		o		o			
	cBT03		o		o			
Random assignment and order								
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09						•		rBZ03 •
Random response order for BD05, BD06							•	rBZ04 •
Random response order for BF09, BF10						•		rBZ05 •
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03							•	rBZ06 •
Random response order for BN02, BN03						•		rBZ07 •
C Evaluations of groups								
Favorability: labor unions			o	o				
Favorability: corporations			o	o				
Favorability: drug companies				o				
Favorability: feminist movement			o	o				
Favorability: homosexuals			o	o				
Favorability: Christian fundamentalists			o	o				
Favorability: NRA				o				
Favorability: Protestants				•				







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 Perot endorsement for president in general election

R Voting behavior and general attitudes

Gender in politics

- More likely to vote for GOP president if ran with Dole
- More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate
- More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate
- Male or female president better at most important issue

Notes on variables in this section

Interview language Interviews were conducted in English or Spanish (Y01) at the respondent's preference. Reinterviews were conducted in the language of the cross-section interview.

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	cY01			
	Interview language			
	Q8			
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS			
	1 English			
	2 Spanish			
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	cY02		rY02	
	Interviewer key		Interviewer key	
	Q10		Q10	
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
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	cY03		rY03	
	Interviewer sex		Interviewer sex	
	Q11		Q11	
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	1 Male		1 Male	
	2 Female		2 Female	
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	cY04		rY04	
	Interviewer race/ethnicity		Interviewer race/ethnicity	
	Q12		Q12	
	Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS		IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint	
	1 White		1 White	
	2 Black		2 Black	
	3 Asian		3 Asian	
	4 Hispanic		4 Hispanic	
	5 Other		5 Other	
	999 No data		999 No data	
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Interview attributes : variable detail

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cY05**Interviewer judge of interview**

(Asked of interviewer) What grade would give for how the interview went overall? A, excellent; B, good; C, average; D, poor; F, very poor. Q471a

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

1	A
2	B
3	C
4	D
5	F
999	No answer

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cY06**Interviewer judge of respondent's political knowledge**

(Asked of interviewer) What grade would give for how knowledgeable the respondent is about politics? A, excellent; B, good; C, average; D, poor; F, very poor. Q471b

Nat CS; IA CS; NH CS; Super CS; Sec CS; SC CS; MI CS

1	A
2	B
3	C
4	D
5	F
999	No answer

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rY05**Interviewer judge of interview**

(Asked of interviewer) What grade would give for how the interview went overall? A, excellent; B, good; C, average; D, poor; F, very poor. Q471a

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

1	A
2	B
3	C
4	D
5	F
999	No answer

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rY06**Interviewer judge of respondent's political knowledge**

(Asked of interviewer) What grade would give for how knowledgeable the respondent is about politics? A, excellent; B, good; C, average; D, poor; F, very poor. Q471b

IA Reint; NH Reint; Super Reint; SC Reint; MI Reint; GOP Conv Reint; Dem Conv Reint; 3 Oct Deb Reint; 11 Oct Deb Reint; 17 Oct Deb Reint; Elect Reint

1	A
2	B
3	C
4	D
5	F
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Multiple reinterview panel A

Some respondents initially interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before the Republican or Democratic presidential nominating convention and reinterviewed after as part of a pre-post convention panel study were reinterviewed one or two additional times: after the 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate as part of this debate's pre-post panel, and/or after the general election as part of the pre-post general election panel:

Of respondents interviewed 21–30 Jul for the national cross-section and reinterviewed 4–13 Aug for the pre-post Republican presidential nominating convention panel, 715 were reinterviewed one or two additional times:

- 688 were also reinterviewed 18–31 Oct for the pre-post 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel;
- 324 were also reinterviewed 11 Nov–7 Dec 00 for the pre-post general election panel;
- 297 were reinterviewed after both the 17 Oct debate and general election.

Of respondents interviewed 4–13 Aug for the national cross-section and reinterviewed 18–27 Aug for the pre-post Democratic presidential nominating convention panel, 696 were reinterviewed one or two additional times:

- 664 were also reinterviewed 18–31 Oct for the pre-post 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel;
- 326 were also reinterviewed 11 Nov–7 Dec 00 for the pre-post general election panel;
- 294 were reinterviewed after both the 17 Oct debate and general election.

Multiple reinterview panel B

Some respondents initially interviewed for the national cross-section study immediately before one of the Bush-Gore debates and reinterviewed after as part of a pre-post debate panel study were also reinterviewed after the general election as part of the pre-post general election panel:

- 607 respondents were interviewed 21 Sep–2 Oct for the national cross-section, reinterviewed 4–10 Oct for the pre-post 3 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel and again reinterviewed 11 Nov–7 Dec 00 for the pre-post general election panel.

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- 275 respondents were interviewed 4–10 Oct for the national cross-section, reinterviewed 12–16 Oct for the pre-post 11 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel and again reinterviewed 11 Nov–7 Dec 00 for the pre-post general election panel.
- 261 respondents were interviewed 12–16 Oct for the national cross-section, reinterviewed 18–31 Oct for the pre-post 17 Oct Bush-Gore debate panel and again reinterviewed 11 Nov–7 Dec 00 for the pre-post general election panel.

Variable summary table

Beginning on page zA-3 is a table summarizing the variables measured for the multiple reinterview panels.

Data file format

In the data files for the multiple reinterview panels, post-event variables are named with an x, y or z prefix, instead of an r prefix:

	Codebook variable name prefix	Data file variable
Pre-event variable	c	c
Post-event variable, first reinterview	r	x
Second reinterview	r	y
Third reinterview	r	z

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	Multiple reinterview panel A					Multiple reinterview panel B				
	Nat CS			Elect Reint		Nat CS			Elect Reint	
	Dem Conv Reint			17 Oct Deb Reint		3 Oct Deb Reint			17 Oct Deb Reint	
BD Education, other										
Federal government should spend on spending on schools										
Bush or Gore better at education										
BE Health insurance, in general										
Americans without health insurance a problem										
Federal government should spend on health care for uninsured										
BE Health insurance, Medicare and seniors' prescriptions										
Federal government should spend on Medicare										
Position on prescription coverage for seniors										
Bush position on prescription coverage for seniors										
Gore position on prescription coverage for seniors										
BE Health insurance, universal health care for children										
Favor universal health care for children										
Bush favors universal health care for children										
Gore favors universal health care for children										
Bush or Gore favors universal health care for children										
BE Health insurance, tax reductions for health care										
Bush or Gore favors \$3000 tax credit for health care										

	Multiple reinterview panel A					Multiple reinterview panel B				
	Nat CS					Nat CS				
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	3 Oct Conv Reint	17 Oct Deb Reint	3 Oct Deb Reint	17 Oct Deb Reint	3 Oct Deb Reint	17 Oct Deb Reint	3 Oct Deb Reint	17 Oct Deb Reint
BS Environment								
Federal government should expend effort to protect environment	cBS01	•	•	•	cBS01	•	•	•
BT Other								
Federal government should expend effort to eliminate many business regulations	cBT01	•	•	•	cBT01	•	•	•
Job loss to foreign competition a problem	cBT02	•	•	•	cBT02	•	•	•
Federal government should allow school prayer	cBT03	•	•	•	cBT03	•	•	•
Random assignment and order								
Random assignment to question structure for Bush's and Gore's policy positions	cBZ01	•	•	•	cBZ01	•	•	•
Random assignment to BB11 or BB12								
Random response order for BC07, BC08, BE09, BE10, BE18, BE19, BG08, BG09					cBZ02	•	•	•
Random response order for BD05, BD06					cBZ03	•	•	•
Random response order for BF09, BF10					cBZ04	•	•	•
Random response order for BG02, BG03, BH04, BH05, BL02, BL03					cBZ05	•	•	•
Random response order for BN02, BN03					cBZ06	•	•	•
					cBZ07	○	•	•
C Evaluations of groups								
Favorability: labor unions	cC01	•	•	•	cC01	•	•	•

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Displayed sign								
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in campaign	cK25	•	•	•	cK25	•	•	•
Displayed sign for presidential candidate in fall campaign				•	rK27	•	•	rK27
Random assignment								
Random assignment to K02 or K03	cKZ01	•	•	•	cKZ01	•	•	rKZ01
L Evaluations of campaign discourse								
Presidential candidates talking about policy	cL01	•	•	•	cL01	•	•	rL01
Presidential candidates criticizing opponents	cL03	•	•	•	cL03	•	•	rL03
Presidential candidates self-promoting	cL04	•	•	•	cL04	•	•	rL04
Presidential campaign more negative than past					cL06	○		
Bush or Gore campaign more negative				•	cL07	•	•	rL07
Would not vote for candidate who campaigned negatively					cL08	○		
Learned enough about presidential candidates	cL10	•	•	•	cL10	•	•	rL10
M Orientation to government								
Trust federal government	cM01	•	•	•	cM01	•	•	rM01
Presidents keep campaign promises	cM10	•	•	•	cM10	•	•	rM10
Government run for few interests or benefit of all				•	rM13	•	•	rM13
People like me have no say over party choices for presidential candidates	cM15	•	•	•	cM15	•	•	rM15

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Voted in 1996 general presidential election	cR43	•	•	•	•	rR43														
Know where to vote in neighborhood	cR44	•	•	•	•	rR44														
Voted in current election district	cR45	•	•	•	•	rR45														
People known vote almost always						rR46	•									•				rR46
Family and friends disappointed if do not vote						rR47	•									•				rR47
Feel guilty if do not vote						rR48	•									•				rR48
Feel less American if do not vote						rR49	•									•				rR49
Vote for satisfaction or duty	cR50	○	•	•	•	rR50									○					
Voting important responsibility	cR51	○	•	•	•	rR51								○						
Gender in politics																				
More likely to vote for Bush with female running mate	cR53	○																		
More likely to vote for Gore with female running mate	cR54	○																		
Random order																				
Random question order for R23, R27	cRZ01	•	•	•	•	rRZ01								•		•	•	•	•	rRZ01
Random response order for R23	cRZ02	•	•	•	•	rRZ02								•		•	•	•	•	rRZ02
Random response order for R27	cRZ06	•	•	•	•	rRZ06								•		•	•	•	•	rRZ06
Random response order for R35						rRZ07	•	•	•	•				○		•	•	•	•	rRZ07

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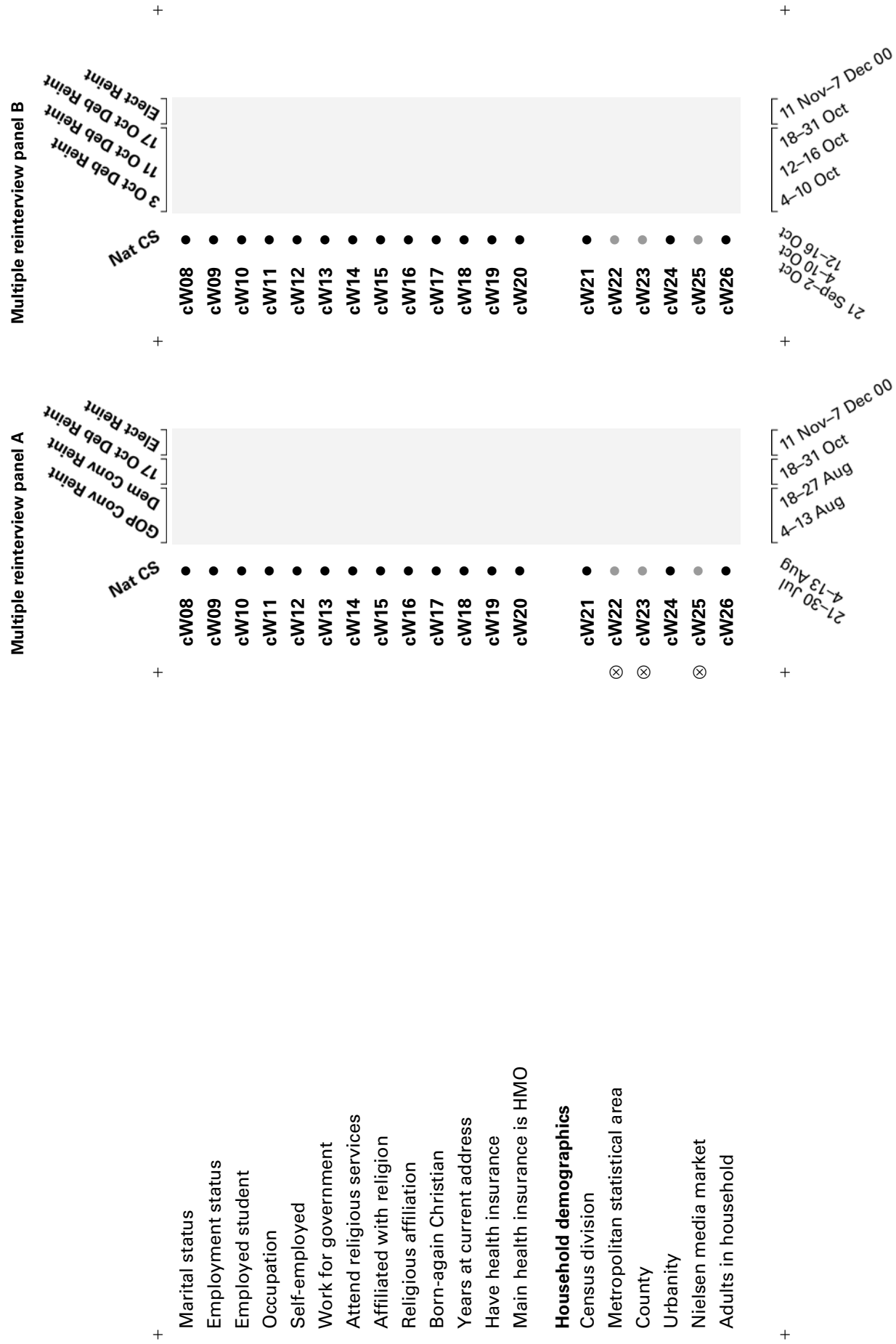
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S Election outcome and disputed Florida vote			
News coverage			
Paid attention to news coverage on day of general election			
Saw general election results before voted			
Seeing general election results before voting affected turnout			
Seeing general election results before voting affected vote choice			
U US House and Senate			
Congressional district			
Congressional primary election status			
US House			
Incumbent US representative running for re-election			
Party of incumbent US representative			
Major general election challenging candidates for US representative			
Party of first major general election challenging candidate for US representative			
Party of second major general election challenging candidate for US representative			
Open-ended recall: incumbent US representative			
Open-ended recall: general election candidates for US representative			
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+ Children in household Household income Labor union household Military household Voice lines in home Zip code (estimated from phone) Zip code (provided by respondent)	Multiple reinterview panel A										Multiple reinterview panel B									
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						3 Oct Deb Reint										3 Oct Deb Reint				
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